INDICATIONS.

GENERALLY FAIR AND WARM TONIGHT AND SUNDAY.

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SUGGESTION.
Work not for the meat which perisheth, but for the meat which abideth unto eternal life. —John 6:27.

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OFFICER KILLED IN A BOLO RUSH

Captain Overton is Slain in Attack by a Moro Force in Mindanao.

PRIVATE NOYES KILLED

Details of Affair Have Not Been Received—Overton and Indianian.

Manila, May 16.—Captain Clough Overton, of the Fifteenth cavalry, and Private Harry Noyes, were killed and Private Hartlow was wounded yesterday in a bolo rush at Sucatlan, Island of Mindanao.

No details of the fighting have been received beyond a brief telegram reporting the deaths. It is said that six of the enemy were killed. It is thought the natives approached Captain Overton's command, pretending friendship, and then attacked the Americans.

About 300 insurgents, armed with bolos, resisted the landing of a force of scouts at Catalman, Camiguin island, Tuesday. They charged the scouts and wounded two of them. It required an hour to disperse the insurgents. Twelve of the latter were killed and many were wounded. The scouts whose gallantry has been commended, are pursuing the insurgents.

Captain Pershing has been relieved of the command of the Lanao expedition and has been succeeded by Lieut. Col. Rodgers, of the Fifteenth cavalry. Captain Pershing, who is ill, has been ordered to Zambuanga for medical examination and will probably be sent home.

Domindor Gomez, president of the nationalist party and a liberal leader, recently wrote to Governor Taft asking him to permit Faustino Guillermo, an outlaw and insurgent leader, to surrender on the condition that he be not punished. The governor scathingly warned Gomez not to mix himself up in insurgent affairs and added that the government intended to follow Guillermo until he was killed or captured.

A NATIVE OF INDIANA.

Washington, May 16.—Captain Overton was a native of Indiana. He was appointed to the military academy from Texas in 1884. Harry C. Noyes, the private killed, enlisted in troop D, Fifteenth cavalry, at Cincinnati, Ohio.

SITUATION IN BULACAN.

Washington, May 16.—The bureau of insular affairs of the war department has received the annual report of Senor Pablo Tecson, governor of the province of Bulacan, P. I., for the year 1902. The report says:

"The political situation of the provinces could not be more satisfactory. Since I took possession of the government there has not been noted the least perturbation of public order, but, on the other hand, I have observed that American sovereignty is now so firmly established that it is reflected in the confidence and faith which the inhabitants feel when they see the efforts the government makes in carrying out their exceedingly favorable promise.

"As an eloquent proof of this we cite the ease with which the taxes were collected, especially the land tax, which is so new in this country, and to the payment of which the province responded with such patriotism, without offering the least opposition, notwithstanding the agricultural crisis through which it has passed and is now passing. * * * Small bands of ladrones, the remains of the past revolution, still exist in the province, engaged in stealing animals, making highway assaults upon isolated roads and settlements, but having, however, no political significance. These small bands are fast disappearing, owing to the constant persecution of the constabulary, local police and the provincial volunteers."

AGRICULTURE SUFFERS.

The governor mentions how agriculture has suffered from the loss of animals and the plague of locusts. He also gives quite a list of bridges, both of wood and stone, that have been constructed and roads that have been improved.

In speaking of public instruction, he reports that education has not developed as it should, for the following reasons: First, the scarcity of Filipino teachers, who should be paid by the municipalities; second, the lack of a law compelling the attendance of children when their parents, through apathy or ancient custom, do not wish to send their children to school; third, the continuous calamities which have befallen this province during the year 1902. He urges that Filipino teachers be assigned to assist the Americans in their task of teaching English.

"The hygienic condition of the province," adds the report, "is highly satisfactory and this is due doubtless to the persevering and intelligent efforts of the president of the provincial board of health, seconded by the municipalities, who enforce the sanitary laws in their respective jurisdictions. In the cholera epidemic just past the provincial president was found lending his personal aid in the most infected pueblos of the province. There occurred only 1,520 deaths from cholera in the whole province, which contains approximately 214,000 inhabitants."

CASH IS COMING IN FOR ROLLING MILLS

Committee Hurries to Complete Fund Before Option Expires.

The option under which Fort Wayne can secure extensive rolling mills by the subscription of $87,500 of capital stock in the enterprise expires this evening, and before that time the citizens' committee is hopeful of having the full amount safely pledged.

Fifteen thousand dollars was raised within three-quarters of an hour at the meeting in the Commercial club rooms last evening. This morning $3,000 additional was secured, leaving less than $15,000 to be placed. This afternoon at 1 o'clock members of the committee started out upon a campaign to bring up the stock subscription to the required amount, and they are hopeful of success.

The attendance at the meeting last evening was not large, but the meeting was productive of results. Robert Millard, who called the meeting to order, stated that the rolling mill proposition is a good one, and that he felt perfectly safe in recommending it to the business men of the city. Mr. Millard was compelled to retire owing to other engagements, and C. W. Orr was called to the chair. Mr. Orr spoke in strong endorsement of the enterprise, as did also E. F. Yarnelle, H. C. Rockhill, P. A. Randall, F. S. Hunting, B. Paul Mossman, J. P. Evans and others. Fort Wayne people who have money to invest were urged to place it in manufacturing institutions of this character instead of in bank, trust and kindred stocks.

STOGIE TRUST EXPANDS.

Trenton, N. J., May 16.—The American Stogie company filed articles today with the secretary of state increasing its capital stock from $5,000,000 to $11,976,000. The stock is divided into $11,000,000 common and $976,000 preferred, the latter paying 7 per cent cumulative dividend. The company, which was incorporated Feb. 14, is to manufacture cigars, cheroots, stogies, cigarettes and to generally deal in tobacco. The articles filed today are signed by Louis B. Bailey, president, and Joseph M. Mitchell, secretary.

CZAR FINDS HIS FINE OLD FIDDLE

Valuable Strad Stolen From Imperial Museum Located by an American.

Berlin, May 16.—A Stradivarius which had been played by several czars, beginning with Alexander I, and which disappeared from the Museum of the Imperial Orchestra at St. Petersburg in May, 1902, has been recovered by Dwight J. Partello, the United States treasury agent here. Mr. Partello, who is himself the possessor of twenty famous violins, heard a word dropped by a person interested in violins which enabled him to trace the stolen instrument to a collector living in a town of southern France, who bought it for $2,500 from a Paris dealer. The violin just recovered is specially precious to the present czar, because one of his childhood recollections is seeing his father, Alexander III, often play on it. Czar Nichola, therefore, was much annoyed when, walking through the museum one day, he saw in the violin case where the Stradivarius commonly rested an ordinary fiddle with the name of a St. Petersburg shop pasted inside. The vendor recognized and pointed out a member of the imperial household as the buyer of the cheap instrument. The accused denied the statement absolutely and as he was of rank sufficient to have his word accepted this line of inquiry was ended.

LOOK TO AMERICA TO EXTEND HELP

Russian Jews Expect United States to Exert Some Kind of Interference.

NOTHING CAN BE DONE

State Department Receives Many Communications—Butchers Punished.

Washington, May 16.—Marked copies of Jewish newspapers and personal presentations are pouring in upon the state department, all relating to the reported killing and maltreatment of Jews in Bessarabia.

Some, at least, of these show misunderstanding of the situation and of the limitations of the power of the state department in dealing with the matter. Ambassador McCormick has been criticised for denying that any massacre occurred. It is said at the department that the ambassador made no statement of his own on the subject; he simply transmitted textually the reply of the Russian government to a request made by the United States that relief funds be admitted for distribution among the sufferers. The Russian government's reply, published at the time, was that there was no such suffering as had been reported and no occasion for relief. Mr. McCormick could not question the veracity of his official informant and he sent the denial along without comment, distinctly placing it upon the Russian government.

CAN DO NO MORE.

The state department feels that it can do no more than it has done in the cause of the oppressed Jews. It has not learned officially that a single one of them is an American citizen, so has no warrant for interference. There is no parallel between cases of the Jews in Roumania and those in Russia. In the first case, it is said at the department that the United States had a ground for intervention because the Roumanian government's action was injuring the United States by dumping a horde of undesirable immigrants upon her shores. It is not asserted that this result follows the Russian act, which, moreover, it is pointed out, is not official. It is precisely as if Count Cassini should present himself to Secretary Hay, and in the name of his government, protest against reported lynchings of negroes by mobs in this country, which probably would result in a polite intimation to the ambassador that he was going beyond the limits of his proper business.

That is the state of the case officially, but it may be added that the limited action taken by the United States has served a purpose to make known to the Russian government that the great moral influence of the United States is directed toward securing an amelioration of the conditions of the Jews in Russia.

SOME WERE PUNISHED.

St. Petersburg, Wednesday, May 13.—The majority of the persons arrested for participation in the anti-Semitic outrages at Kishinfeff, Bessarabia, have been tried and sentenced to varying punishments. Although they were mostly arrested on returning to their homes after the second day's pillage, with their arms full of plunder, all the prisoners protested their innocence and pleaded that they found the things in the streets and were taking them to the police station.

TOLSTOI SENDS AID.

Berlin, May 16.—The Morning Post publishes a special dispatch from Moscow saying that Count Tolstoi has given $7,500 to the fund being collected to aid the Jews of Kishinfeff.

THINKS TALES EXAGGERATED.

Washington, May 16.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, said today with reference to the recent troubles in Russia:

"I am sure that the reports have been grossly exaggerated. The most drastic measures have been taken by the Russian government to prevent repetitions of the troubles, and the government always has done all that is possible to prevent them. The governors of provinces have been ordered to exert themselves to the utmost to preserve order and have been notified that they will be held responsible for the peace of their provinces. The guilty, as apprehended, will be dealt with to the full extent of the law."

NOMADIC TRADER ACCUSED OF THEFT

A Companion of Curry Ensley Says That Person Stole Valuable Turnout.

A band of nomadic horse traders are camped on the Godfrey farm, west of the city, and are having troubles of their own. They are not gypsies of the Romany-Rye type, but might as well be, being of pretty much the same stripe. Among the men are two brothers named Curry and Lee Ensley, who have a penchant for loading up to the gunwales with bad booze and then expanding their diversions by beating their wives. There was a general mix-up Friday and as a result Curry Ensley was arrested and fined in Tancey's court on one charge of intoxication and another for wife-beating. He paid both fines, amounting to about $26. A warrant was issued this morning for the arrest of Lee Ensley, on identical charges and he will be brought in this afternoon. And this is not all. Before noon another member of the tribe called at the sheriff's office and informed the sheriff that Curry Ensley is wanted at Shelbyville for horsestealing. The theft was committed about eight months ago, he says, and Curry successfully got away with a horse and buggy, which he afterwards disposed of for $157. He says he would not have peached on his associate had he not beat his wife; he has no use for a man who will whip or strike a woman, and for that reason thinks Curry should be turned over to the authorities. Sheriff Stout at once instituted a telephonic inquiry to learn of the truth of the charge made against Curry and if the information warrants he will be held for the Shelbyville officer.

The telephone developed the fact that the Shelbyville story is at least partly true, Ensley being wanted there for the theft of a buggy. Officers Daseler and Huguenard visited the camp of the horsetraders this afternoon, but could not find their man. Lee Ensley wanted, to answer to charges of intoxication and wife beating in Tancey's court, is also numbered among the missing, although the camp is still there.

TURKEY DISQUIETED BY ARMED ARMENIANS

Invasion of Warlike Bands is Said to Proceed from Russian Territory.

Constantinople, May 16.—The Turkish authorities are disquieted at the recent appearance of bands of Armenian revolutionists, coming from Russia, in the districts of Bayazid and Sausun, Armenia, and are adopting rigorous measures to guard the frontier. The Armenians cross in small parties in the neighborhood of Bayazid and thence they make their way to the Sausun mountains, where they are safe from pursuit. It is alleged here that the Russian authorities of Kars, Asiatic Russia, are aware of the movement of the Armenian revolutionists, but that they do not interfere. It is believed that the appearance of these bands indicates a revival of activity on the part of the old Armenian committees, who are understood to be anxious to be in a position to take advantage of possible complications arising from the Macedonian situation, in which case the claims of the Armenians will be revived and the same advantages gained by the Macedonians from European intervention will be demanded for Armenia.

The Turkish government has notified the Bulgarian exarch that Gerassimos, bishop of Strumitza, Macedonia, has been removed and has invited the exarch to appoint his successor. The exarch, however, refuses to recognize the authority of the Turkish government to remove the bishop and has advised Gerassimos, who is practically a prisoner in his own house, to remain firm. It is alleged that Bishop Gerassimos is a supporter of the Macedonian movement, but it is also stated that the charges are brought by the jealous Greek clergy.

The prisons of Macedonia are overflowing with Bulgarians, the Turkish authorities hoping to thereby paralyze the action of the Macedonian committees.

It was announced today that the Turkish troops entered Ipek, Albania, yesterday and not May 8, as previously announced, after meeting with strong opposition.

TROUBLE COMING IN INSTALLMENTS

Denver Strike is Slowly but Steadily Involving All Branches of Labor.

MORE MEN CALLED OUT

Unions Applying the Screws by Degrees—Peace in Sight in Omaha.

Denver, Col., May 16.—The joint executive committee in charge of the strike in this city issued an order at 2 o'clock this morning calling out the members of unions as follows: Cigarmakers, papermakers, pulp and paper mill workers, international firemen and engineers at mills, other mill employes, brewers, beer bottlers, retail clerks, lady clerks, mattress-makers, garment workers, horseshoers, electrical workers, coopers, tobacco strippers, stage employes, barbers, tailors and bartenders. The order became effective at once and through it 2,350 additional workers are brought into the ranks of the strikers, swelling the number out to something over 5,000.

The Building Trades council has decided not to order a sympathetic strike, but has referred the matter to the unions for individual action. Several meetings will be held within the next twenty-four hours to consider the matter.

The strikers' executive committee has notified the officials of the Western Packing company that they will permit a sufficient number of men to remain at work to operate their refrigerating plants and thus protect the large supply of meat in storage, amounting to several hundred thousand dollars in value.

More than 500 new members have been initiated in called-out unions since the strike began and with the addition of 2,350 union members to the strikers' ranks today, their number is increased to 5,900.

A committee of the Allied Printing Trades council, accompanied by proprietors of newspapers and job printing offices, held a conference today with the officers of the Citizens' alliance, whom they urged to agree to arbitration between employers and employes directly interested in existing difficulties, as proposed by the unions' executive committee.

STRIKERS RIOT IN NEW YORK.

New York, May 16.—There was a clash between Italian strikers and non-union men in the Bronx today in which several persons were injured. The strikers attacked a number of men who had been engaged to take their places. A lively fight was in progress when the police arrived and dispersed the rioters.

Police were summoned to Morris avenue in the Bronx and in Wakefield to drive away strikers who were gathering at points where workmen were grading.

When Frank Battalio, who was arrested yesterday for using a revolver to defend himself from strikers, went to work in the Bronx today he was set upon and beaten by a gang of men. He slashed one of them inflicting an ugly wound. Battalio was arrested, but was subsequently discharged by the magistrate, who said the man had a right to defend himself.

STRIKE IN A BIBLE HOUSE.

Philadelphia, May 16.—A strike has been inaugurated in the Bible printing establishment of the National Publishing Co. in this city. Sixty-five members of the Bookbinders' union struck because of the refusal of the company to pay the union scale of $12 and upwards weekly, according to the branch of trade. More than eighty girls employed in the bindery are idle as a result of the bookbinders' strike.

James E. Cogan, business agent of the union, said: "This is the beginning of a fight against nearly all Bible making plants in this section. All we ask is a fair day's pay for a fair day's work."

PROPOSE ARBITRATION PLAN.

Omaha, Neb., May 16.—The plan of arbitration has been proposed by the Central Labor union to settle the strike here. The plan is to submit the differences to a court composed of eleven, five each of the Employers' association and from the labor unions, the eleventh to be selected by the ten men. The plan has been unanimously adopted by the labor unions and it now remains for the employers to accept or reject the proposition.

Everything was peaceable today. Sixteen men arrested for interfering with strike breakers were arraigned in police court and released on bond pending a hearing next week.

SENATOR GORMAN SAILS.

New York, May 16.—Senator Arthur Pue Gorman, of Maryland, was a passenger on the Atlantic transport line steamship Minnehaha which sailed today for London. Mrs. Gorman accompanied him.

AMBASSADOR COMING HOME.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—Ambassador McCormick and Mrs. McCormick leave here tonight for the United States.

LIEUT. O. B. RUFFNER KILLED AT DESHLER

Auburn Young Man Fell Beneath Wheels of a Train—Had Relatives Here.

O. B. Ruffner, who a year or more ago was employed in the Rastetter bending works at Wall and Nelson streets, met instant death early today at Deshler, Ohio, where he fell beneath the wheels of a Baltimore and Ohio train. Ruffner had lived for the greater part of his life with his grandfather, Dr. Matheney, at Auburn, but his mother and two sisters resided in Fort Wayne.

Ruffner, who was a carriage trimmer by occupation, also worked occasionally as a telephone lineman, and had recently been employed in a carriage factory at Middletown, Ohio. He was en route to Auburn today, and in attempting to board a west-bound train at Deshler, fell beneath the cars. Both arms and both legs were cut off, and the body was so frightfully crushed and mangled that identification was only possible by means of a letter found in the pockets of the dead man. It was written him by a friend, Henry West, of Auburn, and officers in that city were at once notified.

Ruffner—familiarly known as "Brown" Ruffner—was about 28 years of age and was unmarried. During the Spanish-American war he was first lieutenant of company K, the Auburn company in the 157th Indiana regiment, and since the close of the war has worked in many cities, either at carriage trimming or telephone line work. During the months he spent in Fort Wayne he worked for L. Rastetter & Sons. Capt. J. F. Lahnum, former commander of Ruffner's company, went to Deshler today to bring the remains to Auburn for burial.

Ruffner's mother and two sisters—Mrs. Will Edsall and Mrs. Louthain, reside in Fort Wayne, the mother's address being given as 1213 Harrison street. The mother and one daughter—Mrs. Edsall, who was formerly an operator for the Home Telephone company in this city, have been at Auburn for some days visiting the family of Dr. Matheney, were arranging to return to Fort Wayne at noon today when they received the news of the young man's accidental death.

WILLIAM GAFFNEY NEAR UNTO DEATH

Former Coroner and Township Trustee is in Very Critical Condition.

William Gaffney, one of the best known citizens of Fort Wayne, is lying at the point of death at his home on West Williams street, and it is believed there is no possible chance for his recovery. For the past four months he has been suffering from Bright's disease, and is growing steadily weaker.

Mr. Gaffney is about 65 years of age. He was for many years a clerk at the White Fruit House, and about fifteen years ago was trustee of Wayne township. Prior to that time he had served as coroner of Allen county.

SONS OF SOMEBODIES.

South Norwalk, Conn., May 16.—At the trial in the town court today of Hugh S. Knox, son of United States Attorney General Knox, Walbridge Taft, a nephew of Judge Taft, governor of the Philippines; John E. Barney, of Cincinnati, and Lawrence White, of Lowell, Mass., students at a private school who were charged with assaulting a citizen, Knox and Barney were discharged, it being proved that they did not participate in the assault, but were making an effort to separate the combatants. The cases of Taft and White were continued.

WADED THE SNOW TO DODGE CROWD

Enters Yosemite Valley With a Small Escort of Colored Troopers.

MOVEMENTS ARE GUARDED

Trail President Will Travel Has Been Closed to the Public.

Yosemite, Cal., May 16.—Shortly after noon today the presidential party, occupying four stages, entered the Yosemite valley. The president himself did not accompany the party. He eluded a large crowd awaiting him in the valley by taking the trail with a few members of his party at Chinqupin, thirteen miles from here. The colored troops of the Ninth cavalry broke the trail through the snow, which was quite deep in places. The remainder of the party, numbering about twenty-four, took horses and mules at the foot of the trail for Glacier point, one mile below the Sentinel hotel.

In accordance with the president's desire to enjoy his outing in private, his movements were jealously guarded by all officials.

It is said that President Roosevelt will take luncheon on Monday at Glacier Point hotel and possibly camp there tonight. This hotel is 3,300 feet above the floor of the valley and affords an excellent view of its magnificent features. Preparations had been made for the president to stay at Jorgenen's studio, in the center of the valley, and the crowds were greatly surprised and disappointed when the president did not appear. All the hotels and public camps are crowded to overflowing and innumerable campers have arrived. The trail which the president will travel is closed to the public.

At noon Governor Pardee and President Wheeler, of the University of California, arrived at the Sentinel hotel.

The weather is much cooler than usual and a high wind prevails.

SORE ON CARNEGIE.

St. John, N. B., May 16.—The interview with Andrew Carnegie, published in English newspapers this week, in which Mr. Carnegie is quoted as expressing opinions considered unfavorable to Canada, is causing a stir in this city, which has accepted $50,000 from Mr. Carnegie for the erection of a library and the citizens are advocating the cancellation of the acceptance of the gift. At the time the offer from Mr. Carnegie was made there was strong opposition to taking the money and the ultimate decision of the city government to accept the fund was followed by the resignation from the library commission of Frank W. Hathaway, a prominent citizen.

The interview has caused renewed agitation and several leading citizens have taken the lead in a movement to have the library fund declined, although a site has been purchased and plans for the building have been prepared. A mass meeting to discuss the matter will be held soon. Mayor White announces that if the citizens so desire the money will be declined and the library plans destroyed.

INSTITUTE GIVEN TO STATE.

Port Deposit, Md., May 16.—In the presence of an immense audience the buildings and grounds of the Jacob Tome institute were formally presented to the state of Maryland today, Governor John Walter Smith accepting on behalf of the state. Addresses were delivered by President Ira Remsen, Johns Hopkins university; Professors Daniel Webster Abercrombie, Lewis Marshall Harries, Washington Webb Hopkins and Dr. A. W. Harris, director of the Tome institute. During the afternoon a splendid portrait of Jacob Tome was unveiled and an elaborate intercollegiate athletic exhibition followed.

OIL SHOWING IN A WELL.

J. F. Rodabaugh, the attorney, is the owner of a farm in Jackson township but a short distance from the Baldwin oil well, and while visiting his farm yesterday made an interesting discovery. A flowing well which has been driven upon the farm immediately across the highway from the Rodabaugh tract makes a strong showing of oil, a scum of the oil forming upon the water within a short time after it is allowed to stand. The well is a little less than 100 feet in depth.

NOBLE WOMAN IS CALLED BY DEATH

Miss Frances Sinclair No More —Other Deaths and Funeral Notices.

Miss Frances Sinclair, sixty-six years of age and a life-long resident of Fort Wayne, died at 6 o'clock Friday evening at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Helen Nelson, on West Berry street. For three years Miss Sinclair had been a sufferer from a nervous affection and in January last was attacked by paralysis, which left her helpless. The patient realized Friday morning that the end was near and told her friends as much. At 3 o'clock she lapsed into unconsciousness and death came painlessly while Rev. Seabrease, of Trinity Episcopal church, was repeating the prayers for the sick at the bedside of the devoted woman.

Miss Sinclair's entire life had been lived for others, and death terminated a most beautiful career. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sinclair, prominent pioneer residents of Fort Wayne, and was born in this city March 12, 1837. The father was at the time of his death county clerk. The mother also died while the daughter was yet in tender years and upon the daughter devolved the care of the younger children. The brother, Samuel Sinclair, became famous as a criminal lawyer and served as judge. The sisters, Orlinda and Susan, became school teachers. All are now dead. Scarcely were her own brother and sisters of an age to care for themselves when an aunt of Miss Sinclair died and she went into this home, devoting ten years of her life to the rearing of the children, who were the late Clarence Edsall, Mrs. Willis Maier, of Chicago; Joseph Edsall, also deceased, and Mrs. Henry Colerick. One by one the members of her own family died, and since the death of an aunt, a Mrs. Rugg, Miss Sinclair had made her home for the most part with Mrs. Nelson. There are no nearer relatives than cousins—Mrs. Helen Nelson, Mrs. Henry Colerick, Mrs. G. D. Crane, of this city; Miss Alice and Joseph Coombs, of Louisville, and Mrs. Willias Maier, of Chicago.

The funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 1020 West Berry street. Rev. A. W. Seabrease will officiate.

SHOOK.

Mrs. Mary Shook, wife of Philip Shook, died Friday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John A. Houser, 1105 Lake avenue, at the age of nearly seventy-seven years. Mrs. Shook had been in failing health for a year, but it was not until a week ago that her condition was regarded as dangerous. Mr. and Mrs. Shook were married over sixty years ago and were the parents of eight children. The demise of the mother is the first break in the family circle. There are fifteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Shook was a native of Germany, but came to America with her parents at the age of eight years, settling in Pennsylvania. Later they removed to Ohio, where she was united in marriage to Mr. Shook May 3, 1843, at Canton. They located in Allen county in 1846, settling in Marion township, where they cleared land for a farm. It was their home for forty-nine years, until the removal to this city in 1896.

The children are Isaiah Shook, of Caledonia, Mich.; Mrs. Ellen Smith, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mrs. Dillie Sprang, of this city; P. S. Shook, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; E. E. Shook, of Fort Wayne; Mrs. Sadie Houser, of Fort Wayne; G. W. Shook, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Mate C. Thompson, of Goshen, Ind. Besides her husband and children Mrs. Shook leaves three brothers and two sisters. They are G. W. Stites, of Churubusco, Ind.; Charles Stites, of Ligonier, Ind.; John Stites, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mrs. Raap, of Ossian, Ind., and Mrs. Jacob Layman, of this city. The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon from the late residence. The interment will be at Lindenwood cemetery.

M'DERMOTT.

Mrs. Mary McDermott, widow of the late James McDermott and for nearly sixty years a resident of this city, died at her home, 1920 South Calhoun street, shortly before 1 o'clock this morning. Death was due to pneumonia, and it followed an illness of about one week.

Mrs. McDermott was a native of Limerick, Ireland, and was 76 years of age. With her husband she came to America in 1854, locating at once in Fort Wayne, and this city has been her home continuously since that time. The husband died about seven years ago. There are no children, the nearest relatives being two nieces—Mrs. William Geary, of Decatur, and Mrs. Mary Kendrick, who made her home with the aged woman.

Mrs. McDermott was a devoted member of St. Patrick's Catholic church, and a woman of lofty Christian character and admirable personality. She was very widely known and universally esteemed.

The funeral services will be held Monday morning at 8:30 from the residence and at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church.

SARRAZIN.

Miss Sophia Sarrazin, 18 years of age, died at 6 o'clock this morning at her home in St. Joseph township, from hemorrhage of the lungs. Miss Sarrazin was the daughter of Mrs. Josephine Sarrazin, and her father was the late August Sarrazin. She was a most estimable young lady, very widely known and had many friends. The surviving relatives include the mother, three brothers and a sister.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Michael's Catholic church, in St. Joseph township.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fortmeyer.—Funeral services of Malinda Fortmeyer will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 1126 St. Mary's avenue.

NO MORE SHAMROCK RACES.

Gourock, Scotland, May 16.—The final race between the Shamrocks on this side of the Atlantic had been arranged for today, but the severity of the weather prevented the yachts from leaving their moorings. Sir Thomas Lipton in expressing his regret said to a representative of the Associated Press:

"I would have liked at least one more trial in fresh weather. This, however, is no time to take risks. The yachts, therefore, will immediately be stripped and prepared for the voyage across. I am quite satisfied with the challenger's work in every kind of weather in which she has sailed."

WILL HAVE THE COLLISION.

P. J. Sullivan and Glenn Erwin telegraphed from Hammond, stating that they have secured two engines for the proposed collision in Centlivre's park on the last day of the railway carnival and street fair to be given in this city in August. They also made arrangements while in Hammond for the track material. This assures one of the most novel and interesting spectacular events ever attempted in Fort Wayne. It will attract thousands of people to the city on that occasion. Mr. Sullivan represented the B. R. T. and Mr. Erwin represented the B. L. F. in the negotiations for the engines for this exhibition. They will return home on Pennsylvania train No. 20 at 4:20 o'clock this afternoon.

DOESN'T RESPECT OLD AGE.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies, no matter how severe, and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, jaundice, fever, constipation, all yield to this perfect pill. 25c. at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store.

To Each Customer

That buys a Manhatan Shirt tonight we will give the choice of any Necktie in the store. Only one tie to each customer, no matter how many shirts he buys. Our object is to get every good dresser in Fort Wayne to try a Manhattan Shirt.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

CITY BREVITIES.

J. M. Cahill, of the Schone undertaking establishment, has returned from a visit at Muncie.

Joseph Somers and family, of Hoagland, will remove to this city next week, taking up their residence in Lakeside. Mr. Somers is the father of Representative H. L. Somers.

REPORT WAS UNTRUE.

A few days ago The Sentinel printed an account alleging the marriage of Miss Alice Blaising, of New Haven, and William Kelker, of this city, and the interested parties have asked that the statement be corrected, as there was absolutely no truth in it. A written notice of the marriage was sent to this paper, and as the name of Miss Blaising's father was signed to it, it was accepted in good faith and printed. The notice was evidently intended as a joke and has occasioned Miss Blaising and Mr. Kelker much annoyance.

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MR. HARRIMAN IS NOT SERIOUSLY ILL

Railway Magnate Reaches Home in New York--Had Attack of Appendicitis.

New York, May 16.—E. E. Harriman arrived here on his special train at 10:40 o'clock. He walked from the train to his automobile and in an interview given from his vehicle, said that he had suffered from a slight attack of appendicitis, but had received the best of attention and expected to sail for Europe on the 26th inst.

Mr. Harriman continued: "I have not been compelled to undergo an operation and scarcely think one necessary. I had the services of three of the very best doctors in the west. I expect to be at home for several days and I do not anticipate that my proposed trip to Europe on the 26th instant will be interferred with in any way.

"My daughter, Mary, has not been ill. It is my younger daughter at home. My little four-year-old girl has a slight attack of scarlet fever."

Mr. Harriman concluded his talk by saying that he would not attend to business for several days.

The railroad magnate was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary, and was met at the Grand Central station by his wife and Dr. L. R. Morris. Dr. Lyle, the family physician, awaited Mr. Harriman's arrival at the latter's home. Several friends were also at the depot.

At the home of Mr. Harriman it was said that he had recovered from his attack, but would have to rest for a few days. Nothing has been determined on regarding an operation.

ORGAN DEDICATION PROGRAM.

Harrison M. Wild, one of America's greatest organists, who will give a recital at the First Methodist Episcopal church Tuesday evening, May 28, on the occasion of the dedication of the new pipe organ, will be assisted by the choir of the church, Miss Gill, contralto, and F. E. Stouder, baritone. The following program will be given:

Organ—Concert overture ....Faulks
Organ—(a) Reverie.....Barnes
(b) Grand offertoire, op. No. 7.. ..... Batiste
Chorus—"The Heavens are Telling" from "The Creation" .....Haydn
Organ—(a) Impromptu .....Brewer
(b) Pastorale .....Lucas
(c) Burlesca .....Baldwin
Song—"O God, Have Mercy," from "St. Paul" .....Mendelssohn
Mr. Stouder.
Organ—(a) March, "Tannhaeuser"
(b) Pilgrims' Chorus.....Wagner
Organ—(a) The Answer..... ..... Wolstenholme
(b) Overture, "Stradella"..Flotow
Song—"O Thou Tellest Glad Tidings to Zion," from "The Messiah" ..... Handel
Miss Gill.
Organ—(a) Pastorale..... Wachs
(b) March, "Aida" .....Verdi

EXCURSIONISTS COMING.

Indications are that there will be a large number of excursionists in the city tomorrow, there being several attractions to call them this way. According to an order made two weeks ago the court house will be open to visitors from 11 to 5, but the elevators will not run. Then there is the opening of Robison park and not least the game of ball between the Shamrocks and the Logansport club. Logansport is coming down with a train-load of rooters, who will be disappointed to learn that Sunday games are strictly on the q. t. and that rooting is positively on the retired list. At that Logansport won't have much to root about. The Shamrocks haven't lost a game this season and are putting up an article of ball that any minor league club could be proud of and it is even change against odd coppers that they could get away with the best end of a series with half the clubs in the Central league. They are all home boys and deserve all the success that promises to fall to them this year.

SAFE TO REMOVE NEGROES.

Norwalk, Ohio, May 16.—Walter Stratton, Wheeler Kimbro and Lorenzo Martin, negroes charged with killing Otto Miscke at Fremont last Saturday night, and who have been in the Huron county jail here for safe keeping, have been taken back to Fremont. Since the settlement of the strike in the Clauss shear works, public excitement at Fremont has abated so much that it is deemed safe to have the prisoners there.

PRINCE'S MIND HAS FAILED.

Berlin, May 16.—The Hanover Allgemeine Zeitung says that Prince Prosper Von Arenberg, who was sentenced some years ago to fifteen years' imprisonment for cruelly murdering a negro in German Southwest Africa, will be transferred from prison to an asylum. The claim is made that the prince's health has become seriously impaired.

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INDICTED GAMBLER FINED BY THE COURT

John W. Laylander Fonnd Guilty by Judge O'Rourke --The Court News.

The case of the state vs. John W. Laylander, for frequenting a gambling house, is on trial before Judge O'Rourke. The attorney for the defense, during an argument, attempted to cast discredit on the Fort Wayne police force, and was promptly called down by the court, who said that it was not the province of the court to hear criticisms upon officers who were doing their duty and enforcing the laws according to instructions.

The testimony was concluded after noon and after brief arguments Judge O'Rourke rendered his decision He dilated upon the evils of gambling and the necessity of punishing every encouragement of the vice, concluding by saying that in this case he would assess the minimum fine of $5 and costs. The total bill, exclusive of defendant's attorney's fees, was $27.80.

GENERAL COURT NEWS.

The juvenile court was in session only for a minute this morning. There was no business presented.

The case of Dr. W. H. Myers vs. W. H. Jones, on account for medical services, was this morning dismissed.

Sherman Archer has commenced suit against Ella E. Wilding to quiet title and James Wilding instituted a similar proceeding. The suits are friendly ones to perfect the title of properties of the estate of the late James Wilding, jr.

J. H. Goegline, administrator of the estate of Philip Schmidt, petitions for an order to sell real estate.

In the superior court the only final business transacted was the dismissal of the suit of Frisbie, Morgan Co. vs. Cornelius Ragan, of New Haven, to recover on an account.

In the divorce case of Mary A. Yerk vs. Charles P. Yerk, on the circuit court docket for a long time, the evidence was partly heard today and the case continued. This afternoon the Foltz divorce case is on trial.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The county commissioners, in session this morning, awarded the contract for building a stone arch culvert in Maumee township to George Jaap, the lowest bidder, at $6.85 per yard. This afternoon the commissioners received bids for furnishing steel furniture for the auditor's storage room on the ground floor of the county building. The room now is barren of furniture of any kind and books of ancient vintage are piled promiscuously on the floor, while documents are packed in boxes. It is possible that there may never be occasion to refer again to the books or documents, but they must be preserved in order to accurately establish the continuity of the records.

The General Fire Roofing company, of Youngstown, Ohio, was awarded the furniture contract at a late hour this afternoon, the bid being $1,099, as against the Art Metal company's bid of $1,650. The Art Metal company has furnished practically all the steel furniture in the court house.

NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH.

Huntington, Ind., May 16.—A. S. Barr, electric foreman for the Southwestern Traction company, almost lost his life yesterday morning. While directing some repairs he accidentally took hold of a live wire. He doubled up in a moment and could not release the wire. The current was cut by his associates and he dropped like a dead man. He was soon revived, however, and taken to Fort Wayne for treatment.

Dr. K. K. Wheelock arrived home last evening from a tour of the south. Dr. Wheelock attended the meeting of the American Medical association at New Orleans, and later enjoyed a trip through Texas.

Rev. M. C. Cooper will fill the appointments of Presiding Elder W. H. Daniel at Woodburn and Maysville Sunday. Rev. Daniel is obliged to remain at home on account of the serious illness of his wife.

A NERVE TONIC NEVER EQUALED

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A New Star.

Cecil Spooner Scores In Miss Mathews' "My Lady Peggy Goes to Town."

My Lady Peggy indeed has gone "to town," for she holds forth at Daly's theater and in the capable hands of little Cecil Spooner. This new star, now braving the critics of fastidious New York in "My Lady Peggy Goes to Town," is to be congratulated on her nerve, for the role is so like the one Henrietta Crosman plays in "The Sword of the King" that comparison is inevitable. Miss Spooner as Lady Peggy Burgoyne is necessitated to use

CARROLL M'COMAS.

all the tricks of the spoiled, impulsive, hot headed girl of that period of white wigs and knee breeches, and she loses nothing by her venture. Of course she is not yet Miss Crosman, but she is very good if not pretty. She does her quarrel scene with her lover, Sir Percy de Bohun, admirably, and her perfect naturalness is surprising in one so young. Miss Spooner seems free from self consciousness, and her work is therefore spontaneous. It rings true and is full of life. She has a voice somewhat like that of Viola Allen, which is to be regretted, for her deep tones are not in keeping with her youthful appearance. She is graceful and easy and will please in this role at any rate.

"My Lady Peggy Goes to Town," adapted from the book of that name by Frances Aymar Mathews, is also by that lady. The cast is large, numbering thirty-nine people, and the stage setting and costumes leave nothing to be desired.

Lady Peggy Burgoyne (Cecil Spooner) is a twin, and her brother has gone to London to study. There also goes Peggy's lover, Sir Percy de Bohun (Walter Hale), whose uncle has sent him with orders to court Lady Diana Weston. This is not to the liking of Sir Percy, and he obeys in part, but leaves the attentions to the lady to Lord Kennaston, Peg's twin. Lady Peggy hears of their life in London, but thinks only of the lady and gets furiously jealous, so that when her recreant does arrive, burning with love for her, she tries to be so dignified and to find out so much that a quarrel is precipitated, and she sends him back to Lady Diana. He goes from her, swearing to go to the devil. Before he has well left she is sorry and confides her trouble to Chockey, her woman (Clara Coleman), who sympathizes warmly, being in love with Sir Percy's man, who of course has to follow his master. In their extreme despair, while each is breaking her heart, Peg decides to go to London to her brother and thus find out for herself how much of what she has heard is true. She and Chockey take the next stagecoach.

When they arrive, there is no one at her brother's rooms, and she waits. It is night. A hamper of clothes is sent for her twin from a tailor, and she decides to disguise herself as Sir Robin McTart, the rival Sir Percy hates and who is unknown to any of the men. She has just donned men's attire when she slips out of one door to allow the young men to enter the window. Later she knocks, enters, gives a letter to her brother from herself introducing her friend Sir Robin (Etienne Girardot) and is met with frowns by Sir Percy and a welcome from the others. He is so unlike the descriptions of Sir Robin as to cause comment and later shows great skill as a swordsman and at cards. Entanglements naturally follow. Peggy has later to avoid the real Sir Robin, who comes to London, and she is caught in many a situation where her assumption of a sex not her own causes her much anxiety. All ends happily.

Something over a dozen years ago a girl baby in Los Angeles began to pucker up her sweet lips and whistle. At the age when other infants begin to sing she whistled. She was named Charles Carroll McComas, after her proud and happy father, who is a descendant of Charles Carroll of Carrollton.

The child's gift for whistling developed naturally into a marvelous power of producing sweet music. There was as much expression in her whistle as in a rare soprano voice or a violin. The talent grew and with it a desire on the part of Miss Carroll to appear on the dramatic stage. Her parents did not oppose her, so at the age of thirteen the whistling wonder became a star in vaudeville.

Meanwhile the young lady shows signs of possessing a fine voice, which it is her ambition and expectation now to train for opera. Personally she is singularly attractive. In a San Francisco beauty show Miss Carroll, even now scarcely past childhood, won the first prize over 400 competitors.

MARY A. BARTOW.

New York.

Residents in the vicinity of Wallace and Clay streets make complaint of the practice of small boys who persist in playing ball in that vicinity, endangering the safety of property and of persons who may be passing by.

MRS. LORILLARD'S LOSS IS IMMENSE

American Woman Robbed of Her Jewels in London--Value Exceeds $50,000.

London, May 16.—The loss of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, who is reported to have been robbed of $50,000 worth of jewels, amounts probably to a far greater sum than at first reported. Mrs. Lorillard lost all her jewelry, except what she was wearing, and a letter of credit and other valuables. The robbery occurred at the Berkeley hotel, to which place two men followed Mr. and Mrs. Lorillard all the way from Monte Carlo. The thieves evidently waited for a favorable opportunity to commit the robbery and have now gone off with the valuables. The police have no clue to their whereabouts, but Mrs. Lorillard now remembers meeting, at various points of the journey, the two suspects, and seeing them again when she arrived in London.

"BIFF" HALL DEAD.

Colorado Springs, Col., May 16.—W. T. Hall, of Chicago, well known as a humorist writer and dramatic critic under the pun name of "Biff Hall," died here today of tuberculosis.

Chicago, May 16.—"Biff" Hall, although a police magistrate of this city, was beter known as a newspaper man and writer. He was a member of the Lambs' club and of similar organizations in New York. Mr. Hall had been engaged in the journalistic field in this city for the past twenty years, during the greater part of the time in the capacity of dramatic critic of various papers. While connected with the Herald he became famous as the author of the "Turnover Club," a series of papers which were afterwards published in book form. He was a graduate of the law department of the University of Michigan and in 1878 was elected president of the National Amateur Press asosciation. He was 54 years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

ARRESTED ON THE UMBRIA.

Queenstown, May 16.—The Cunard liner Umbria from New York May 9 arrived here at 3:38 this afternoon. On the arrival of the Umbria here detectives from Scotland Yard arrested Mrs. Gunning S. Bedford, who, accompanied by her baby and a maid, was a saloon passenger on that vessel. Mrs. Bedford's husband, who lived in London, died recently in Paris, leaving property estimated to value $500,000 to his wife and child. Relatives who are contesting the will allege that Mrs. Bedford had no children and that she procured a child, pretended it was hers and deceived her husband for the purpose of receiving his whole property. Mrs. Bedford's arrest was the result of investigations of the detectives.

LOCAL NEWS.

Attorney Cyrus Cline, of Angola, is in the city.

George R. Hance, of Potterville, Mich., is in the city on business.

The Toledo Pigeon Flying club will send two hundred birds to this city tomorrow to be released by the Pacific Express officials at 9 o'clock for a flight to that city.

C. B. Bryson, E. C. Buck and E. E. Hite, who went to Paducah, Ky., to pass upon the merits of the carnival company which is to bring its attractions to Fort Wayne in June, returned last evening.

Miss Pearl Foster has returned from Lafayette, where she has been engaged for some days directing the work of making some changes in the clerical force of the Foster store in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barry, or 1226 Hayden street, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding Thursday evening by entertaining a party of sixty-five guests at pedro. First prizes were won by Mrs. Dave Raidy and D. Falvey and the consolations were awarded to Miss Julia Falvey and Henry Tonsing, jr. A delicious luncheon was served after the games. Mr. and Mrs. Barry received a number of handsome gifts in honor of the occasion. William Hickey, of Indianapolis, was the guest from out of the city.

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No.	Buffalo Fast ...ail	8:36 A. M.
No.	New England Express	11:49 ... M.
No. 14.	Montpelier and Toledo Exp ...	4:10 P. M.
No. 4.	Continental Limited	4:45 P. M.
No. 24.	Atlantic Express	6:30 P. M.
GOING WEST.		DEPART.
No. 9.	Kansas City Fast Mail	6:00 A. M.
No. 7.	St. Louis Day Express	9:48 A. M.
No. 1.	Continental Limited	11:20 A. M.
No. 11.	Toledo & Butler Accom., Arr.	11:48 A. M.
No. 5.	Government Fast Mail	5:48 P. M.
No. 23.	Toledo Local Exp., Arrive...	8:35 ... M.
No.	St. Louis Limited	8: ...

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Plym'th & Chi....	*10 30 am	* 7 35 pm
Plym'th & Chi....	*10 30 am	* 4 15 pm
Valpo & Chicago.	†12 15 n'n	†10 45 pm
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Lima & Crestline..	†12 50 pm	† 7 15 pm
Plym'th & Chi....	* 4 15 pm	*11 20 pm
N. Y. & Wash....	* 4 20 pm	* 4 10 pm
Pittsburg & N. Y..	* 7 45 pm	* 4 45 am
Pittsburg & N. Y..	* 9 30 pm	* 4 45 am
Pittsbg-Chi. Spcl..	*11 26 pm	* 3 20 am

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ARRIVE.	
No. 46, Sunday Special	10:15 am
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SHIFT OF SCENES IN YEAGER MURDER

Later Evidence Shows That Youth Was Lured to His Death by Woman.

Kokomo, Ind., May 16.—There was startling shift of scenes in the Yeager murder inquest here yesterday, which will clear the Logan Ingles and Frank, Dillard Eads boys of the crimes of which they are charged and for which they are under $3,000 bond. The clew that located the scene of the tragedy near the Tipton county line was correct. The story of a mysterious woman with whom Yeager was seen after leaving the house of his fiancee also is verified.

On the witness stand last night Frank Burns, Evans Pickering, Oscar Pickering and Fred Johnson all testified to seeing Louis Yeager at 1 o'clock Sunday night on the Howard-Tipton county line road. They recognized him and his horse and buggy. He had a strange woman with him. There was another rig following with a man and woman witnesses did not know.

HEARD THE SHOTS.

The killing was near the Pickering home. Evans Pickering said: "I happened to be up when the buggy drove past. There was loud talking. After the rigs had gone on I heard a shot fired, and remarked to my wife: 'I reckon we will hear of another murder in the morning.'"

It develops that Yeager, after leaving the home of his affianced, at 10 o'clock, did not start for his own home, but went south toward Sharpsville. A few miles out he met a man and two women. One of the women then got into Yeager's buggy and continued south. On reaching a walnut grove near the Pickering place both couples alighted and went into the grove by the roadside. Witness Burns testified that he recognized Yeager, but the others were strangers. He heard the pistol shot, but it was too dark to distinguish movements at that distance—about forty rods.

SPOKE TO DEAD MAN.

Fred Johnston, the next witness, gave grewsome testimony. He was himself out driving about 2 o'clock and passed the Yeager rig. As he passed he saluted Yeager and was astonished to receive no reply. "I spoke again," said he, "but there was no response.

"Yeager was leaning out of his buggy as if watching something behind; one arm was hung over the top brace and limp. I thought he was asleep and passed on. The man was dead and the horse was taking the body home."

None of the witnesses recognized the other man or the two women. After the killing the body of Yeager was placed on the buggy seat, with toes wedged under the iron foot rest and the head put between the buggy top supports.

Last night Mr. Pickering and Mr. Carl found the exact spot of the murder. A pool of coagulated blood was discovered in the grove where the shot was heard. A posse of officers and detectives are out at the scene with Coroner Harrison.

A LITTLE EARLY RISER

Now and then, at bedtime, will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by Meyer Bros. Co.

GALA DAY AT HOMESTEAD.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 16.—All business was suspended at Homestead today and the town folks took a holiday in honor of the dedication of the C. M. Schwab free industrial school and the formal opening of the institution built and to be maintained by the president of the United States Steel corporation, who but a few years ago was but an employe of the Homestead works. That the residents appreciated to the fullest extent the day's event was proved by the elaborate decorations. Wherever it was posible to hang a festoon draped with bunting or run out the national emblem it was fully taken advantage of. During the morning Mr. Schwab and his New York guests inspected the magnificent building and at noon the party sat down to a luncheon prepared by the pupils of the domestic science department as their tribute to Mr. Schwab's generosity.

About 150 young people went to Huntington last evening in special cars to attend the dance given in the academy of that city by Miss Hulda Hanker. A large party of Huntington young people were also guests and the dance was one of the most pleasurable affairs ever given by Miss Hanker. Will Young and Mr. Calkins furnished the music on the piano and traps.

PEOPLE TAKEN IN A POLICE RAID FREED

Acquitted of Charge by Judge Dreibelbiss--Mayor Much Disappointed.

At police court this morning Judge Dreibelbiss dismissed the cases against Emma Sowers, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ertle and George Ludwig, charged with prostitution, associating with prostitutes and keeping a house of prostitution. The evidence was heard yesterday and the cases were taken under advisement, with the result that all the parties were acquitted, the judge stating that there was not enough evidence to prove the character of the female defendants to be bad. This was after the police department had submitted the record of the Sowers woman, which shows eight convictions on the same charge on pleas of guilty and about twenty cases in which she appeared under another name. Many complaints had been lodged against the Ertle woman, both at the place she is now at on Calhoun street, and several years ago when she was more or less notorious in the east end. Mayor Berghoff was much disappointed at the outcome of the trial. "I have tried earnestly to suppress houses of ill fame with saloon attachments in the down town districts," said he, "and have given the officers particular instructions to keep a sharp lookout and file affidavits in all cases where the order that women must not be allowed to loiter in saloons, was being violated. I have heard many complaints about this place in particular and had instructed the officers to keep a close tab. I might as well revoke the order if we can not secure convictions in well known cases and where a woman with a police court record a yard long can get a certificate of character in a trial, there is something wrong. Either she reformed very suddenly or else the evidence was not properly marshalled. It is very discouraging to officers who act in good faith in following out instructions intended to improve the moral tone of the city, to be thrown down on technicalities."

Thomas Rabbitt and John Wilhelm also fared well at the hands of the judge while he was in a lenient mood. They were charged with intoxication, pleaded not guilty and had their cases continued indefinitely, which is equivalent to an acquittal.

POLICE NOTES.

Several days ago Daniel Komp, the real estate man, was the victim of what he thought was an audacious robbery, a chicken which he had stored in the back of his buggy disappearing while he went to his office for a minute. Last evening a man reported that he had found a chicken with both legs tied, hopping around on the street in the neighborhood of Komp's office. Nobody knew who the fowl belonged to, so he picked it up and took it home. Then he learned of Mr. Komp's loss and being of tender heart and not wishing to deprive the gentleman of his anticipated dinner, announced that the chicken is still safe and well and can be had by the owner upon calling at 1405 East Washington street.

A large window in the saloon of Jacob Wiedner, corner of Hanna and Wallace streets, was broken last night.

A runaway gypsy wagon enlivened things on Broadway for a while last night. One of the occupants was spilled out and sustained a badly sprained ankle, but no other damage was done.

There was a burglar scare at the Wayne hotel last night about 2 o'clock. The police made a thorough search of the house but found nothing suspicious anywhere and no marks or cards of any burglars or sneak thieves.

There are 44 automobiles in Fort Wayne and the owner of each received a letter today calling attention to the speed ordinance, with a notice that any violation of the same would be prosecuted. Superintendent Gorsline is preparing an order relating to the bicycle ordinance, an annual necessity. "I had thought it would be unnecessary to adopt drastic measures this spring to enforce the sidewalk and light ordinance as relating to bicycle riders," said he, "but I find that they refuse to profit by past experience. I don't like to see persons arrested and brought into police court to pay a fine for riding on sidewalks, but the nuisance has become intolerable and the complaints are so numerous and general that I can't help myself. It's the same way every spring. They won't quit violating the ordinance until about fifty have been arrested and fined, then they begin to see that we are in earnest and find the streets good enough for them. The order will be issued tonight or tomorrow."

CITY BREVITIES.

Anderson Bulletin: "The Sion S. Bass post from Fort Wayne, eighty-three strong, with drum corps, presented a handsome appearance in the parade this afternoon. This post is one of the strongest in the state and takes its name after Colonel Sion S. Bass, who was killed in the battle of Shiloh. William Kinnerk is post commander and J. Edsall quartermaster. Their headquarters are in the C. K. of A. hall."

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lepper, of 230 West Jefferson street, entertained the Queen Ann Pedro club last evening in celebration of their thirteenth wedding anniversary. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. G. Gilliom and the consolations were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neireiter. Each guest presented Mr. and Mrs. Lepper with a silver teaspoon and a presentation speech was made by Mrs. G. Gilliom. Luncheon was served at midnight.

FROM A CAT SCRATCH

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FAIR PRESIDENT HERE.

W. H. Harter, president of the Hicksville Fair association, was in the city today upon a business trip. Mr. Harter is 70 years of age, and is perhaps the oldest man actively engaged in the management of a fair in this section of the country. He has been president of the Hicksville Fair association for twenty years, and has contributed very largely to the success of the enterprise. Mr. Harter resides along the line of the proposed Fort Wayne-Bryan electric line, and is anxious to see the electric road constructed. He is aiding the enterprise in every way possible.

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SYBL SANDERSON IS DEAD IN PARIS

Life of Well Known American Opera Singer Ends After Pneumonia Attack.

Paris, May 16.—Sybl Sanderson, the well known American opera singer, died suddenly today of pneumonia, following an attack of the grip.

The announcement of the death of the famous artist caused a profound shock in the American colony here, where she was well known, and through musical and theatrical circles. She returned to Paris from Nice six weeks ago, suffering from a slight attack of the grip. Her condition was not regarded as serious, but she gradually grew worse and her sickness finally developed into pneumonia.

The doctors continued to hold out hopes of her recovery, but the singer sank and finally succumbed this morning. Miss Sanderson's mother, the widow of Judge Sanderson, of California, with whom she lived in apartments at No. 1 Avenue Du Bois De Boulogne, and other relatives and friends, were present at the time of her death, including her sisters, Edith and Marion, and Mary Garden, of Chicago, the soprano of the opera comique.

Miss Sanderson, according to report, was to have been married this summer to Count Paul Tolstoi, a cousin of the Russian novelist.

The funeral of Miss Sanderson will take place here on Monday.

Miss Garden said Miss Sanderson, who had been unconscious since Thursday evening, and had suffered great pain, regained her senses before death came, although she passed away quietly in her sleep.

A REVELATION.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

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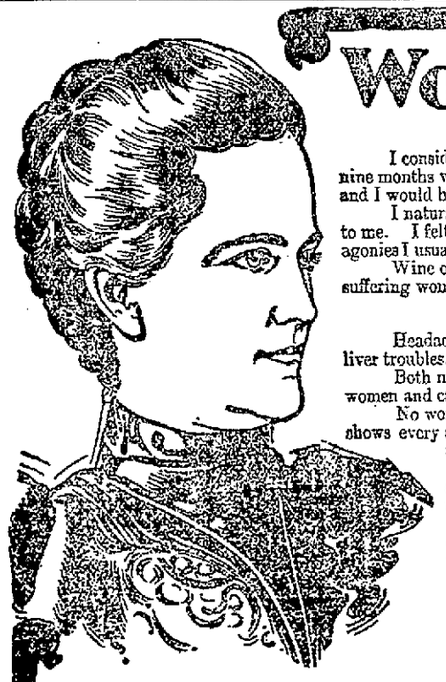
The G. R. & I. R. R. will run an excursion to Garrett next Sunday, May 17, to the dedication of the new Sacred Heart Hospital. Train leaves south depot at 6:00 o'clock a. m. Fare for round trip 75c. 13-4t

Women's Headaches



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Treasurer Portland Economic League,
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Mrs. Wilhelmina Snow
Treasurer, Portland Economic League.

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Both men and women suffer the first four kinds of headaches, but the last, periodical headache, falls only to the lot of women and cannot be mistaken, for it is the unerring sign of irregular menstruation and bearing down pains.

No woman need give up and accept a life of suffering unless she allows herself to despair. Mrs. Snow, in her letter shows every suffering woman how not only suffering can be avoided but how weakness can be conquered and the best health assured. She tells, how even when the best medical aid failed, Wine of Cardui worked a complete cure.

Completely prostrated by nine months of suppressed menses, blinded by headaches and racked with pain she was made a strong and healthy woman again. One week of suppression is a serious thing. But nine months! Think of it! Can your suffering be greater than hers? Can your case be more seemingly hopeless?

Remember with Wine of Cardui no case is hopeless because this great remedy cures permanently nineteen out of every twenty cases and never fails to benefit a case of irregular menses, bearing down pains or any female weakness. Mrs. Snow's attention was attracted to Wine of Cardui when she was discouraged and beyond the help of physicians—if she hadn't been beyond doctor's help she probably never would have come to take Wine of Cardui. If you are discouraged and doctors have failed, that is the best reason in the world you should try Wine of Cardui, and try it now. Remember that headaches mean female weakness. They are from the same cause as the irregular flow. Cure one and you cure both. Do not postpone your case. Secure a bottle of Wine of Cardui today. All druggists sell $1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

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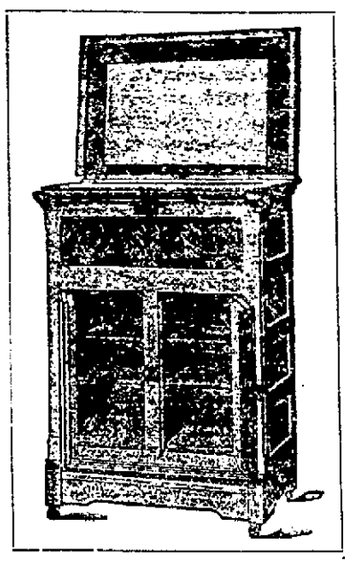

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Blacksmiths, No. 222; Textile Workers, No. 226.
Fraternal—Rathbone Sisters; Wayne No. 25, F. and A. M.; Queen Esther, No. 324, D. of R.
Masonic Temple—"O'Moore's Courtship."

Mr. Cleveland probably merely wants to find out whether he could if he would.

A tunnel, possibly a viaduct—but one or the other—is wanted and needed on Calhoun street.

The gist of the supreme court's decision on oil wells is that when an oil well is plugged up it is not an oil well.

Another plot to assassinate the president in alifornia has been nipped in the bud. As advertisers those California police put a popular prima donna clear out of the running.

The slowness with which the returns from the battle to determine who is to run the democratic organization in Indianapolis makes it look as though time was being kindly given somebody to prepare for the worst.

The city under no circumstances would give any one the privilege of erecting bill boards in the streets and there is nothing to be said in favor of any one seizing that privilege in a roundabout way by nailing billboards to telephone poles. An ordinance will cover the case.

The details of the horrible massacre of Jews at Kishineff are shocking the whole civilized world. Before the czar inaugurates another move to conserve the world's peace and end the bloodshed of war he will do well to take some steps to end the unspeakable atrocities that cast such a pall of disgrace over his own dominions.

The Kentucky murderer who cheated the gallows by taking poison and dying at the hour set for his execution probably thought he was clearly within his rights, since the law merely claimed his life, by choosing his own manner of shuffling off. At the same time there is considerable stir to find the fellow who aided the condemned man to knock the official program all awry.

The effect of the operation of the amendment to the New York liquor tax law has been to decrease the number of cheaper and more disorderly saloons while at the same time it has greatly augmented the state's revenues. The new law increases the tax 50 per cent. An ordinance increasing the saloon license in Fort Wayne to several times the present amount would have a salutary effect in cutting down the number of cheap and disorderly places. That and stringent enforcement of the mayor's orders respecting wine-rooms would greatly improve the atmosphere of Fort Wayne as the liquor business affects it.

While this is an "off-year," politically, there are nevertheless to be some important elections. Eight states will choose governors. These are Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Ohio and Rhode Island. The contests in several of these states will be watched with close interest, the more so because of conditions prevailing in several of them. In Ohio, for instance, if Tom Johnson becomes the democratic nominee, as seems quite likely, there will be one of his strenuous and spectacular campaigns. His election would give him tremendous margin in the race for the democratic presidential nomination next year. In Maryland Senator Gorman's prestige will be greatly augmented or decreased by the way the state goes, and in Iowa, the birthplace and home of the "ideal," something of a straw will be furnished to show the status of the tariff reform sentiment. Rhode Island elected a democratic governor last year and is expected to show some symptoms of remaining in the democratic column, though Senator Aldrich, who is the embodiment of all that is ultra in protectionism, may be looked to for every effort to swing the state the other way. It is not improbable that out of the state contests this fall will come some democrat who may be hailed as the Moses of the party—some democrat who by distinct personal achievement in the results and force of character, may impress himself upon the party as precisely the man as Cleveland did twenty-one years ago, when he swept New York with the greatest majority that up to that time had ever been given to any man.

WHITE BREAD.

Another Proof in the Controversy.

Under certain conditions white bread, potatoes and all starchy food fails to digest and bowel troubles and appendicitis are likely to follow unless the food is changed.

After consulting five physicians, the last three of whom declared that an operation for appendicitis was the only way to save her life, a young lady of Bloomington, Ind., recovered her health entirely with no other aid than Grape-Nuts, the scientific predigested cereal food.

She says: "Three years ago I had an attack of what my family physician pronounced congestion of the bowels and stomach.

"He treated me for some time, but I continued to grow weaker, constantly subject to the same attacks. I was compelled to give up my studies at college. In the meantime I consulted another physician. Finally I went to a specialist, who pronounced it catarrh of the stomach and acute appendicitis. I was under his care for about three weeks, when I had another attack and my parents called other physicians, who claimed that nothing but the removal of the appendix would save my life.

"My parents refused to permit this and I was left a total wreck, weak, nervous, unable to eat. It was then that they tried Grape-Nuts, feeding me a teaspoonful three times a day. Upon this food alone I improved from the start, to the great wonder of my family. For two months I ate nothing but Grape-Nuts and drank beef tea. Since that time (which was more than a year ago) I have not had the slightest illness and I am now strong and able to study again. I know that I owe my restored health to Grape-Nuts and I now eat it constantly." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

In this case, as in most cases of appendicitis, the trouble started with inflammation of the bowels, resulting from the use of pasty, starchy foods, that were undigested in the stomach and went into the intestines in an undigested condition, fermenting there and starting disease. Too much white bread will do this. Relief and final cure came when the improper food was left off and Grape-Nuts (in which the starches have been transformed into grape sugar by a predigesting process) was used. Although all of the rebuilding elements are there in Grape-Nuts, the food is so pure that the most delicate stomach relishes and digests it.

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WHEN DAN WAS AN EDITOR.

(Decatur Democrat.)

Dan Hudgell, who edited the Decatur Eagle in 1863 and 1864, was in the city Friday. He represents Berdan & Co., of Toledo, and sells the John Drew cigar. Mr. Hudgell secured the Eagle from a Mr. Callen and after two years' management surrendered to A. J. Hill upon his return from the army. He was certainly interesting to converse with and he has many good stories of those days of forty years ago. He says at that time the leading citizens were Jesse Niblick, J. R. Bobo, D. D. Heller, Van Simcoke, Mr. Burt, William Spencer and John Meibers; at least these are the ones he best remembers. John Niblick was a "devil" in his printing office. The Eagle was not very prosperous at that time, he informed us, and most subscriptions were paid for with a load of elm wood. Since leaving here Mr. Hudgell has traveled most of the time and, though seventy years old, is still a hale and healthy man.

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KILLED IMMENSE SNAKE.

A large snake of unknown species was killed in the yard of George W. Maxwell, of Rockhill street, by two men who were cutting grass yesterday afternoon. The snake was discovered under the rear steps by Mrs. Maxwell, and she called to the men, who dislodged the reptile and attempted to kill it. One of the men threw a brick at it and struck it on the tail. The reptile made a spring at him and narrowly missed fastening its fangs in his clothing. The men then secured pitchforks and finally succeeded in killing it. The snake was over six feet long and is of a pecular silvery color and is thought to be a species of adder.

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AT THE THEATRE

"When Knighthood Was in Flower," coming next Thursday.

What will undoubtedly prove the event of our local theatrical season, will be the appearance of the charming and renowned actress, Effie Ellsler, in Paul Kester's dramatization of Charles Major's famous romance, "When Knighthood Was in Flower." That well known manager, Frank L. Perley, has surrounded Miss Ellsler with a powerful cast, chosen from New York's best known artists. The production scenically is elaborate and picturesque. It will be produced here exactly as seen one entire season at the Criterion theater, New York, correct and complete in every detail. Mr. Perley purchased the production intact from Julia Marlowe, and re-engaged for Miss Ellsler's support several of Miss Marlowe's leading people.

The book has undoubtedly been the most widely read of the present decade, over 300,000 copies having been sold up to date.

The action of the play begins where Charles Major had well started. Princess Mary Tudor comes to view on the terrace landing, Windsor park, near the banks of the beautiful and placid Thames. She is engaged in an altercation with her royal brother, King Henry VIII, and repels his proposition to marry her to the faded old King Louis, of France.

In the scene Miss Ellsler portrays Mary Tudor as a creature of true womanly qualities, tender though full of self-will and pretty capriciousness. Mary dances a step, as a first lesson, from a movement, the Suffolk squire, Charles Brandon, had brought from France. It is danced to a time of the period, played on a lute by the Princess Mary's companion, Lady Jane Bolingbroke, and forms a most tempting picture, serving to get the lovers together.

This first act, mostly in a vein of comedy, closes with Mary's impassioned outburst, when Cardinal Wolsey finally asks her what answer he shall carry to her royal brother, regarding her marriage with the venerable Louis of France. The princess leaves him in no doubt regarding her sentiments when she says:

"Carry this answer to the king: That I will see him and the whole kingdom sink in hell before I will marry Louis of France. That is my answer, make the most of it. Let Henry send him Catherine to wed. She is old enough. I will not have him. Do you hear? Never! Never! Never!"

The second act is entirely in a comedy vein and is laid in the Princess Mary's apartments in Bridewell house, London. In the course of this act, King Henry attended by a great train of nobles, visits his sister Mary, to force another interview, regarding her projected marriage to Louis of France. Many seeks refuge in bed, and there, defies her royal brother, to worry her further, for that night at least. After Henry's threatening to break the door down, it is finally opened by Mary's companion, Jane, disclosing the princess in bed. She thrusts her bare arm out of the covers and makes a movement as if to arise; Henry and the nobles beat a hasty retreat amid a fusillade of pillows, articles of feminine apparel, etc. This furnishes Miss Ellsler with one of the prettiest comedy scenes of the play.

The third act discloses the lovers in the great room of the Bow and String inn at Bristol, whither they have fled to take ship for America. Mary is dressed as a cavalier, but her sex shows quite plainly beneath all her disguises. The king and his guards surround the inn and Charles Brandon is torn from Mary's embraces. To save her lover from the block, she reluctantly consents to marry Louis of France, and the two are separated.

The first scene of the fourth act shows Mary as Queen of France, and relates most graphically the adventures which befall the newly made queen at the splendid court of Louis, also the clever way she manages to be his wife in name only.

The second scene of the last act relates to the reunion of Mary Tudor and Charles Brandon; how by a pretty wit, Mary appeases the wrath of her royal brother, Henry VIII, and gets his sanction to her marriage.

Miss Ellsler's triumphs in the exacting roles of Barbara in "Barbara Freitchie" and Glory Quayle in "The Christian" will be remembered by her host of admirers. The production in all its massive entirety will be seen in Fort Wayne for the first time in its remarkably successful career of three seasons, at the Temple next Thursday. Seats now on sale.

"When Knighthood Was in Flower" Act IV

TEMPLE THURSDAY, MAY 21.

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FATHER FITZPATRICK CHOSEN

(Goshen Democrat.)

Father Fitzpatrick, who recently came here from Fort Wayne to fill the pulpit in St. John's Catholic church, has been selected as Memorial day orator here and accepted the invitation to deliver the address on that occasion. Father Fitzpatrick is a polished speaker and well equipped to dwell on the memory of the dead heroes. This will be the first time he has addressed the general public outside the church since coming to Goshen and there is much anxiety to hear him. The plans for the Memorial day services are about completed. The committee is gratified over securing the services of Father Fitzpatrick.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

Girls Who Work

Girls who work are particularly susceptible to female ills, especially when obliged to stand on their feet from morning until night.

Day in and day out, month in and month out, the year through, the working girl toils; she is often the bread winner of the family, and must work that others may live; whether she is sick or well, whether it rains or shines, whether it is warm or cold she must get to her place of employment and perform the duties exacted from her.

Among this class the symptoms of female diseases are early manifest by weak and aching backs, pain in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach; in consequence of frequent wetting of the feet monthly periods become painful and irregular, and frequently faint and dizzy spells, with loss of appetite, until life is a burden and it is hard work to drag about. All these symptoms point to a derangement of the female organism, and if taken in time can be easily and permanently cured.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** has done so much good for me that I wish to recommend it to all girls whose work keeps them standing on their feet all day in a hot store. The doctor said I could not live and I must give up work, and stay out of doors; he did not seem to realize that a girl cannot afford to stop working. My back ached, my appetite was poor and I could not sleep; menstruation was scanty and very painful. One day when suffering I commenced to take **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** and it helped me, I soon found that my menstrual periods were free from pain and natural; now my health is fine, and every one is surprised at the change in me, and I cannot be too grateful for what you have done for me."—MISS JANET PAINE, 530 West 125th Street, New York City.—*$5000.00 forfeit if originals of above letters proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

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Mrs. Harry Bitner has returned from a visit to her parents in Chicago.

CITY BREVITIES.

G. W. Beers returned last evening from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Emma Warble, of Kendallville, is visiting friends in the city.

N. T. Jackman and George T. Bishop, of Auburn, are at the New Aveline.

Sol D. Bayless lodge, F. and A. M., will have a called meeting Monday evening and will confer the second degree.

Auditor Winslow, of the Douglas Shoe company, was in the city today upon his regular visit to the local store.

Bluffton News: Miss Lizzie Schock, of Fort Wayne, was a guest between trains last night of her cousin, Miss Lizzie Mosiman.

Mrs. Frank Sawyer and baby, of New York, arrived today for a visit of two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Julia Fay Randall.

Bluffton News: Thomas Carey returned to Fort Wayne this morning. Mrs. Carey is still visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Sharpe.

The Ladies' auxiliary of division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will give a musicale and social in St. Patrick's school hall on Monday evening.

James Kennedy, of Glasgow, Scotland, is registered at the Wayne. Mr. Kennedy is at the head of the big lumber exporting concern which has offices in this city.

Fort Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., and Hive No. 6, L. O. T. M., have arranged for a joint pedro party to be given in the Elektron building on Friday evening, June 6.

Miss Ella Kell, instructor in elocution in a young women's seminary in Canton, Ohio, arrives home this evening for a visit. Miss Kell will go from here to Pittsburg for an extended visit.

Angola Magnet: Mrs. S. A. Wood will spend tomorrow at Lake James, returning to Fort Wayne in the evening, and about a month later will take up her summer residence at "Maywood," Spring Point.

Mrs. D. G. Steger and Mrs. Charles Johnson entertained a party of about thirty from the city at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Geary, of Coesse, on Thursday. The guests spent the entire day at the Geary home and were most delightfully entertained.

Rev. E. W. Allen will go to Lafayette tomorrow to address a meeting of the Purdue university graduating class in the Purdue Y. M. C. A. Mr. Allen's subject will be "The Utility of Faith." Rev. J. Webster Bailey will preach in Mr. Allen's church in the evening.

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BASEBALL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Marion	11	4	.733
Evansville	11	5	.688
Terre Haute	7	7	.500
Dayton	7	8	.467
Anderson	7	8	.467
Fort Wayne	6	8	.429
South Bend	6	10	.375
Wheeling	5	10	.333

Captain Bade Myers dropped into The Sentinel yesterday before the game and had a confidential talk with the office cat. What transpired during that star chamber session is a state secret, but as he left he whispered loud enough to be heard in the front room, "Just watch me!" Whether that referred to yesterday's game or to the trip the boys are out on now, the cat won't tell. Yesterday's game was a thing of beauty and a joy to look upon until the seventh inning, when somebody tied the dog loose and two bases on balls, an error, a hit and a wild throw let in two runs for Terre Haute, tieing the score, and after that neither side scored, the game being called at the end of the ninth inning to enable Terre Haute to catch a train for home. Fort Wayne made its two runs in the sixth on a base on balls, a hit by Dennis and Ostdiek and a wild throw by Richardson. There was a warm time around that grand stand when those two runs came in and for the first time this season the fans really warmed up. The game was full of snap and ginger throughout, barring the seventh inning, and on an average nothing but leagueball was played. Captain Myers says he will protest Umpire Cline's decision calling the game a draw and will claim it by a score of 9 to 0. The rules provide that a game can be called at any time within an hour of train time for the visiting club, provided, however, that the visiting captain must notify the home captain or manager twenty-four hours in advance of his intention to take a certain train. Captain Myers says he received no notice and Captain Walters acknowledged as much yesterday when he told Myers to take the game if he wanted to; in spite of this Cline declared the game a draw. The score was as follows:

FORT WAYNE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Belden, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dennis, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Murphy, 3b	4	1	0	2	2	0
Ostdiek, c	3	0	1	8	0	1
Myers, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0
Lindsay, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0
Slear, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Hopke, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
Alberts, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	4	27	8	1

TERRE HAUTE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Beecher, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Robinson, cf	4	0	1	0	0	1
DeArmond, 3b	3	1	0	1	5	1
Thompson, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Richardson, c	2	0	1	6	2	1
Walters, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Badger, 1b	3	0	2	13	1	0
Kling, ss	4	0	0	2	4	0
Torrence, p	4	0	0	3	2	0
Totals	30	2	6	27	15	4

(Called at the end of the ninth inning to allow Terre Haute to catch a train.)

By innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Fort Wayne	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—2
Terre Haute	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2

Summary:

Sacrifice hit—Myers. Stolen bases—Dennis, 2; Ostdiek. First base on balls—Off Alberts, 6; off Torrence, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Richardson, 2; Beecher. Struck out—By Alberts, 6; by Torrence, 5. Double plays—Torrence and Badger; Hopke, Lindsay and Myers, 2. Umpire—Mr. Cline. Time—1:25. Attendance—400.

OTHER SCORES YESTERDAY.

Dayton, 3; Anderson, 2.

Anderson, Ind., May 16.—By one error at a critical time Anderson lost to Dayton yesterday afternoon. The score:

Dayton .....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—3
Anderson .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2

Hits—Dayton, 5; Anderson, 5. Errors—Dayton, 4; Anderson, 3. Batteries—Bonnett and Fox; Simonton and Quiesser. Attendance—250.

Evansville, 10; South Bend, 9.

South Bend, Ind., May 16.—South Bend pounded Treat out of the box yesterday, getting three triples, one home run and seven singles, yet failed to win. Evansville had a batting rally in the eighth and scored seven runs. Mauck was tried as umpire again and was a failure, both teams getting after him. The score:

Evansville ...0 0 2 0 0 0 0 7 0 1—10
South Bend ..4 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0— 9

Hits—Evansville, 11; South Bend, 11. Errors—Evansville, 2; South Bend, 6. Batteries—Treat, Foreman and Cross; Schafer and Tieman. Attendance—320.

Marion, 4; Wheeling, 2.

Marion, Ind., May 16.—In a fast fielding contest yesterday Marion won the final game of the series from Wheeling by opportune batting. Four rapid double plays by Marion assisted in making the exhibition exciting and snappy. Score:

Marion .....2 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 *—4
Wheeling .....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—2

Hits—Marion, 7; Wheeling, 7. Errors—Marion, 1; Wheeling, 2. Batteries—Patterson and Jessup; Fox and Shannon. Attendance—342.

GAMES TODAY.

Fort Wayne at South Bend.
Evansville at Terre Haute.
Dayton at Marion.
Wheeling at Anderson.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	15	7	.682
Chicago	17	9	.654
Pittsburg	17	10	.630
Boston	12	10	.545
Cincinnati	13	12	.520
Brooklyn	11	13	.458
St. Louis	7	19	.269
Philadelphia	6	18	.250

SCORES YESTERDAY.

Cincinnati, 5; New York, 4.

Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 2—5
New York .....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2—4

Hits—Cincinnati, 8; New York, 12. Errors—Cincinnati, 2; New York, 2. Batteries—Suthoff and Bergen; McGinnity and Warner. Attendance—7,135.

Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 4.

Brooklyn .....0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—4
Chicago .....0 0 3 2 0 0 2 0 0—7

Hits—Brooklyn, 9; Chicago, 11. Errors—Brooklyn, 2; Chicago, 1. Batteries—Garvin, Evans and Abearn; Taylor and Kling. Attendance—2,000.

Pittsburg, 13; Philadelphia, 2.

Pittsburg .....5 0 0 0 2 1 5 0 0—13
Philadelphia ...0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1— 2

Hits—Pittsburg, 18; Philadelphia, 9. Errors—Pittsburg, 5; Philadelphia, 7. Batteries—Leever and Smith; McLaughlin and Dooin, Zimmer. Attendance—2,044.

Boston, 10; St. Louis, 0.

Boston .....4 2 0 2 2 0 0 0 *—10
St. Louis .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0

Hits—Boston, 9; St. Louis, 6. Errors—Boston, 1; St. Louis, 4. Batteries—Malarkey and Moran, Kittridge; Hackett and Weaver. Attendance—2,519.

GAMES TODAY.

Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburg at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	14	7	.667
Philadelphia	14	9	.609
Detroit	11	10	.524
Boston	11	11	.500
St. Louis	8	10	.444
Cleveland	8	10	.444
New York	9	12	.429
Washington	7	13	.350

SCORES YESTERDAY.

Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 2.

St. Louis .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2
Philadelphia ....0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 1—4

Hits—St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 11. Errors—St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 2. Batteries—Sievers and Kahoe; Waddell and Schreck. Attendance—1,400.

Cleveland, 5; New York, 3.

Cleveland .....0 0 1 0 1 2 0 0 *—5
New York .....0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0—3

Hits—Cleveland, 7; New York, 9. Errors—Cleveland, 2; New York, 2. Batteries—Dunkle and Sullivan; Townsend, Lee and Drill. Attendance—2,800.

Detroit, 8; Boston, 6.

Boston .....1 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 0—6
Detroit .....3 1 2 0 0 1 0 1 *—8

Hits—Boston, 10; Detroit, 15. Errors—Boston, 2; Detroit, 2. Batteries—Hughes and Smith; Kitson and Buelow. Attendance—4,298.

GAMES TODAY.

Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Milwaukee	13	7	.650
Indianapolis	13	8	.619
St. Paul	10	7	.588
Kansas City	11	9	.550
Toledo	11	12	.478
Louisville	10	11	.476
Columbus	10	13	.435
Minneapolis	4	15	.212

SCORES YESTERDAY.

St. Paul, 10; Minneapolis, 2.

St. Paul .....1 0 2 1 3 3 0 0 *—10
Minneapolis ...0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2

Hits—St. Paul, 16; Minneapolis, 11. Errors—St. Paul, 0; Minneapolis, 4. Batteries—Stewart and Sullivan; St. Vrain, Thomas and Yeager. Attendance—2,753.

Toledo, 3; Indianapolis, 2.

Indianapolis ....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2
Toledo .....0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—3

Hits—Indianapolis, 6; Toledo, 6. Errors—Indianapolis, 2; Toledo, 3. Batteries—Ford and Heydon; Reisling and Butler. Attendance—1,150.

Columbus, 5; Louisville, 3.

Louisville .....1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—3
Columbus .....0 0 0 0 0 1 4 0 *—5

Hits—Louisville, 5; Columbus, 7. Errors—Louisville, 3; Columbus, 2. Batteries—Bohannon and Schriever; Bailey and Fox. Attendance—650.

Kansas City, 3; Milwaukee, 1.

Kansas City ....0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 *—3
Milwaukee .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1

Hits—Kansas City, 7; Milwaukee, 9. Errors—Kansas City, 2; Milwaukee, 3. Batteries—Gibson and Maloney; Hale and Speer. Attendance—1,300.

GAMES TODAY.

Milwaukee at Kansas City.
Columbus at Louisville.
Toledo at Indianapolis.
Minneapolis at St. Paul.

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The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of two (2) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months.
President—Charles McCulloch.
Cashier—John Mohr, Jr.

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Corner Wayne and Clinton Sts.
CAPITAL, $200,000.
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Henry C. Paul, Vice President.
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Take Your Meals at the
Y. W. C. A.
51 West Berry Street.
Strangers in the city referred to good boarding places. Meals served on the European plan at reasonable rates. Dinner, 11:30 to 1:30. Supper, 5:30 to 6:40.

The Winner
in the game of life is the man who saves money—not always the man who makes it. When you speak of saving money think of the Fort Wayne Trust Co., for whether you lay by a dollar or a hundred dollars here, our 3 per cent interest will make you a winner indeed.
Corner Main and Court Streets.

Your clothing lasts twice as long when laundered by the
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Proprietors.
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AND INSURANCE,
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D. C. FISHER'S OFFICE,
128 WEST WAYNE STREET.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, May 16.—July wheat sold to 72⅞@73c, on a scattered demand. A good demand developed during the latter part of the session and the market became steady, July advancing to 73½c.

Corn was easy on good weather, July selling at 44¼@44⅞c. The close was easy, with July ⅜@½c lower, at 44⅜@44¾c.

July oats sold down to 32⅞c on increased receipts.

September provisions were steady, pork opening at $16.05, lard at $8.97½ to $9.00 and ribs at $9.22½ to $9.25.

The Close.

Wheat—May 73¾c; July, 73½@73⅝c; Sept., 71c; Dec., 71¼c.

Corn—May, 45c; July, 44⅜@44¾c; Sept., 44½@44⅝c.

Oats—May, 36¾c; July, 32⅛@32½c; Sept., 30½@30⅝c; Dec., 30¾c.

Pork—May, $18.90; July, $17.17½; Sept., $16.62½c.

Lard—May, $8.85; July, $8.92½; Sept., $8.85.

Ribs—May, $9.25; July, $9.35; Sept., $9.17½.

Rye—May, 50½c; July, 50½c.

Timothy—May, $3.60.

Clover—May, $12.50.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.16; S. W., $1.11; May, $1.12½; July, $1.14.

Barley—Cash, 42@56c.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Chicago, May 16.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 16@21½c; dairies, 15@18c.

Eggs—Market easier, 14¼@14½c.

Cheese (New)—Market weak; twins, 12½@12½c; daisies, 13@13¼c; young Americas, 13¼@13¾c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; market nominal; good to prime steers, $5@5.50; poor to medium, $4@5; stockers and feeders, $3@5; cows and heifers, $1.60@4.75; canners, $1.60@2.75; bulls, $2.50@4.25; calves, $2.50@6; Texas fed steers, $4@4.80.

Hogs—Receipts today, 11,000; Monday, estimated, 40,000; left over, 2,600; market steady to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $6.30@6.60; good to choice heavy, $6.60@6.90; rough heavy, $6.40@6.55; light, $6.10@6.35; bulk of sales, $6.46@6.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; sheep and lambs, steady; good to choice wethers, $4.90@5.50; fair to choice mixed, $3.75@4.75; native lambs, $4.50@7.15.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, May 16.—Opening prices varied only ⅛ to ¼ from last night's level, about equally divided between gains and losses. The market was so nearly stagnant as to show no perceptible current either way. A rise of ⅝ in Canadian Pacific was the largest change.

Offerings of various low-priced stocks selling in the 30's and 40's were made at sharp fractional concessions from yesterday's close and in the case of Texas and Pacific the loss was 1⅜. This weakness gradually extended to other portions of the list and the leaders also became heavy. Losses, however, did not exceed fractions. Tennessee Coal, International Power and Evansville and Terre Haute declined 1@1½.

Southern Pacific was sold down a point before the appearance of the bank statement, which was considered weak. Light buying to cover shorts caused the market to waver, but the decline was renewed. Louisville and Nashville, Brooklyn Transit, Manhattan, Hocking Valley preferred and some inconspicuous stocks declined 1 to 1½. Pacific Mail lost 1⅞ and North American 2. Southern Pacific touched 52½. There was renewed buying by the shorts and the closing was steady.

New York Produce Market.

New York, May 16.—Butter—Receipts, 4,949 packages; market firm; state dairy, 17@21c; extra creamery, 22c; creamery, common to choice, 18@21½c.

Cheese—Receipts, 4,306 packages; market firm; state full cream, fancy small colored and white, old, 13@15c; large colored and white, old, 13@14¾c; small colored, new, 12c; small white, new, 12c; large colored, new, 11¾c; large white, new, 11¾c.

Eggs—Receipts, 14,682 packages; market dull and weak; state and Pennsylvania, 16½@17c; western storage packed, 16¼c; southern, 14½c; western firsts, 15@16½c; Kentucky, 15¼@16c.

Sugar—Raw, market firm; fair refining, 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, steady; crushed, $5.45; powdered, $4.35; granulated, $4.85.

Coffee—Market quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5¾c.

Molasses—Market firm; New Orleans, 31@41c.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, May 16.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans, $928,939,200; increase, $5,559,000.

Deposits, $920,835,500; increase, $5,000,800.

Circulation, $44,269,900; increase, $321,000.

Legal tenders, $70,445,100; increase, $508,300.

Specie, $168,756,400; decrease, $295,300.

Reserve, $239,201,500; increase, $213,000.

Reserve required, $230,208,875; increase, $1,250,200.

Surplus, $8,992,625; decrease, $1,037,300.

Ex-U. S. deposits, $18,305,725; decrease, $1,036,300.

The Oil Market.

Toledo, Ohio, May 16.—Oil, market lower; North Lima, $1.14; South Lima and Indiana, $1.09.

Fort Wayne Markets.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 16.—Spring wheat flour, $4@4.50; winter, bl., $3.75@4.25; Graham, $1.75 per cwt.; buckwheat, $2.65 per cwt.; corn meal, bolted, $1.50 per cwt.; corn meal, unbolted, $1.50 per cwt.

New Wheat—71c bu.
Corn—42c bu.
Cloverseed—$6@7.
Timothy Seed—$1.25@1.50.
Oats—33@35c bu.
Rye—50c bu.
Barley—45c bu.
Chop Feed—$1.25 per cwt.
Oil Meal—$1.50 per cwt.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7c; salted, 8c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c; salted, 11c.
Wool—Unwashed, 18c; washed, 22c.
Bran—Ton, $19.00.
Shorts—Ton, $19.00.
Middlings—Ton, $20.
Hogs—On foot, $7.
Dressed Hogs—$8.40.
Sheep—On foot, $3@3.50; dressed, 7@8c lb.
Lambs—On foot, $4.50@5; dressed, 8c lb.
Calves—On foot, $5.50@6.00; dressed, 9c.
Steers—On foot, $4@5.00; dressed, 6@7.
Beef Cows—On foot, $2.50@3.50; dressed, 4½@5½c lb.

City Hay Market.

Timothy—$14@15.
Mixed—$8.00@11.00.
Clover—$9@10.
Straw—$5.00@6.00.

Produce.

Butter—14c lb.
Creamery—30c lb.
Eggs—14@15c.
Lard—11c lb.
Chickens—11c lb.
Dressed Chickens—14c lb.
Potatoes—45@50c bu.
Honey—14@18c lb.
Maple Syrup—$1.25 gal.

To Each Customer
That buys a Manhatan Shirt tonight we will give the choice of any Necktie in the store. Only one tie to each customer, no matter how many shirts he buys. Our object is to get every good dresser in Fort Wayne to try a Manhattan Shirt.
REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

TO WRITE LIFE OF HARRISON.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16.—The private papers of ex-President Harrison, including some unfinished manuscripts, have been turned over to Hon. John L. Griffiths, who is to write his life. Mr. Griffiths was closely associated with General Harrison politically and nominated him for the United States senate. It is expected that the book will not be published for two years.

AMES GETS SIX YEARS.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 16.—After listening to the appeal of the counsel of former Mayor A. A. Ames, Judge Elliot this morning sentenced the once powerful political leader to spend six years at hard labor in the state penitentiary. A bond of $19,000 was accepted by the court and Dr. Ames will not have to go to prison until the supreme court has passed on his appeal.

WILL LEAVE FOR BOSTON.

Dr. W. W. Barnett will leave Monday morning for Boston, Mass., to attend the convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States. Major Barnett was appointed by Governor Durbin as one of the four Indiana delegates to the assembly. He will be absent about one week.

FIX COMMENCEMENT DATE.

The teachers in the common schools of Wayne township held a conference with Trustee Schirmeyer this morning and it was determined to hold the township commencement on Thursday evening, June 4. The exercises will be held this year at school house No. 4, on the Huntington road.

Thursday evening a crowd of young girls and boys called at the home of Miss Bertha Joly, on East Columbia street, to remind her of her birthday anniversary. Dancing and games were the amusements of the evening. Features of the evening were a solo by Master Charles Howey and a recitation by Miss Rosella Langard entitled "No One in the World Loves Me."

The members of the Morning Musical held a meeting this morning in the Anthony Wayne club, but owing to the small attendance the election of officers was deferred two weeks.

WANTS

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 402 Old Fort Place. 5-14-eod-tf

WANTED—A good girl to assist with housework. 1114 South Harrison St. 16t2

WANTED—A good cook. Mrs. P. A. Hamilton, southwest corner Clinton and Lewis Sts. 2-21-sat&wed-tf

WANTED—A girl who can do plain cooking. Apply 634 W. Wayne St. Mrs. A. E. Hoffman. 15-4t

WANTED—Girls to work at Robison park. Call at Fort Wayne Traction Co. 15-2t

WANTED—Situation as clerk, salesman or delivery man by young man who will give first class reference. Has had experience. Address Clerk, Sentinel.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—If you need money, read ad. on second page, first column. 7-30-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished complete, with bath and hot water, suitable for one or two persons. Call 236 Douglas avenue. 15-2t

FOR RENT—Several desirable houses and business rooms; will be pleased to show on application. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, gas and bath, first or second floor. 430 East Washington street. 14-4t

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room with board. All modern conveniences. Call at 818 Monroe St., between Wayne and Berry. 5-6-tf

FOR RENT—A furnished cottage for light housekeeping on West Berry street; also front and back parlors on first floor, with board. Address, C. A. D., care General Delivery, city. 5-12-1m

FOR RENT—Lodge room—Can be had by parties desiring it on Monday evening, at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 4-10-tf

FOR RENT—A house containing seven rooms, bath room, electric wiring, natural and artificial gas, hydrant and cistern water; within one square of street car; price, $15 per month. Apply to A. H. Bittinger, 22 and 23 Pixley-Long block.

FOR RENT—We have a rent list. Call and see it at our office. We have a for sale list of improved and unimproved property in different parts of the city. Call at office and see it. We also have first-class insurance—fire, tornado, accident and casualty. Schrader & Wilson, 709 Court St., first floor. tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—27½x150 feet on Washington boulevard, east of Broadway; 7-room dwelling. Price $2,400. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

LOST

LOST—A pocketbook containing receipts and two certificates of deposit. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office. 15-3t

LOST—Will the lady that has the book belonging to Merchants Supply company return the same at once to Meyer Cycle Co?

To Each Customer
That buys a Manhatan Shirt tonight we will give the choice of any Necktie in the store. Only one tie to each customer, no matter how many shirts he buys. Our object is to get every good dresser in Fort Wayne to try a Manhattan Shirt.
REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Wright moved into the new house on East Jefferson street yesterday.

Dr. Edgar B. Hartman is spending a few days the guest of his brother in Cincinnati.

Miss Carrie Snively has as her guest this week her aunt, Mrs. Mary C. Snively, of Columbus, O.

Mrs. Lizzie Koenig, of Fon du Lac, Wis., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Geiger, of 520 Lavina street.

A. J. Weber, of Chicago, who has been a patient at Hope hospital from a mild form of pneumonia, is able to be about again, and will return home in a day or two. Mr. Weber is a traveling salesman, and was taken sick at the Randall hotel.

The Lyric club will give its closing reception and dance in the Mulqueen academy next Wednesday evening. Plumadore's full orchestra will play.

Mrs. Frank Koontz and baby, of Upper Sandusky, O., who have been the guests of Mrs. Koontz's sister, Mrs. William Klett, have returned home.

Rev. C. Gross, formerly pastor of Emanuel Lutheran church, has returned from a visit in St. Louis and will preach at Emanuel church Sunday morning.

WANTS

WANTED—A cook, at 225 West Berry St. Mrs. Will Olds. 4-25-tf

WANTED—Second cook, apply at Hope hospital. 5-12-tf

WANTED—An office boy. Call at Fort Wayne Traction Co. 15-2t

WANTED—A man of good habits, on the West Side Fruit Farm, Ontario street. Route 1; 'phone 6402. 15-2t

WANTED—Five young men for yard men and porters at the Wayne hotel.

WANTED—A girl to sew; one that is good with needle; steady employment. Address No. 5, care Sentinel. 5-4-tf

WANTED—Good strong boy, 15 or 16 years of age, to learn the tinner trade. Call 115 East Columbia street. 5-14-tf.

WANTED—A house of ten or twelve rooms. Must be within walking distance of the Electric Lights. Address, House, Sentinel office. 5-6-tf

WANTED—Boilermakers, experienced in railroad work, for western shops; free transportation. Write or call at room 15, Stafford hotel, Chicago. 5-11-tf

WANTED—Ladies' handy hat fastener sewed to hat does away with hat pins; price, 25c per pair, postpaid; agents write for prices. The Fair Mfg. Co., Dept. P., Racine, Wis.

WANTED—I repair and recover umbrellas at lowest prices; new ribs, 10c; recovers, from 50c and up. A. Winestine, at Field's Clothing Store, 806 Barr street. 2-25-tf

WANTED—Conductors and brakemen, both passenger and freight; as many as may apply, for service northwest of Chicago. Apply 50 Sherman St., Chicago. 5-11-tf

WANTED—Salesmen for full line of fruit and ornamental trees; pay weekly; outfit free; steady work. Lawrence Nursery Co., Lawrence, Kan. 4-15-3mo

WANTED—At once, a first-class solicitor of good address; good position to right party; permanent employment. Call or address J. G. Siersdorfer, care Sentinel. tf

WANTED—Several reliable men to post signs, distribute samples and call on the retail trade; substantial salary; expenses advanced. World Supply Co., Chicago.

WANTED—Bright young man to travel; advertise and collect; salary, $20 weekly to start and all expenses; self-addressed envelope for reply. Address Road Manager, 360 Dearborn St., Chicago.

WANTED—$20.00 per 1,000 paid weekly for copying letters at home; no names to supply or envelopes to address; nothing to buy. Addressed envelope for copy. Practical Mfg. Co., Newark, N. J. 16-23

WANTED—Men, not under 25 years, to call on old and new customers; no delivering; position permanent to the right party; pay weekly. Glen Brothers, Rochester, N. Y. 5-16eod15t

WANTED—Agents — Our men are making $3 to $10 a day fitting glasses; our free eye book tells all about it; write today. Jacksonian Optical College, Dept. Cl 16, Jackson, Mich.

WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000; interest paid on deposits. 8-tf

WANTED—Young lady would like position as bookkeeper; a graduate of business college, also has had practical experience in office work; can do typewriting if necessary. Address, M. E., care Sentinel. 13t4

WANTED—Ladies, $18 weekly earned at home, spare time, by any one able to write and willing to work; honest, steady employment; particulars free, addressed envelopes. Manager Dept. 153, 25 N. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Women to do sewing on specialties; $4.00 per 100; can make six an hour; material sent free, prepaid. Send envelope for particulars and testimonials from our workers. Madam Du Pont, Dept. 153 Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—I can repair your sewing machine at your home in city, town or country. Give me your address on a postal card. W. A. McDaniel, 738 West Superior street. I can always sell you a good sewing machine from $5 to $15. Call at above number. 5-14-1m

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; years saved; thoroughly systematized course; established 1895; branches, St. Louis, New Orleans, San Francisco, Omaha; inducements to distant applicants; busy season now; tools given; positions waiting; particulars mailed. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 16-6t

WANTED—At Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment office, 201 W. Washington street, first-class cooks, side dining room girls, one head waitress, also one porter; experienced private house cooks and second girls; wages $3 to $5 per week. Places both in and out of the city waiting for help. 10-2-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Six-room house, No. 512 Fairmount Place, North street. Inquire at same. 4-16-1m

FOR SALE—Six room house in Lakeside. Address Home, Sentinel office. 5-6-tf

FOR SALE—A good family horse, buggy and harness cheap. Address A, this office.

FOR SALE—Rome City Cottage and lots for sale. Inquire of F. C. Spiegel, 1006 Broadway. w-s-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room residence, on south side; a bargain. Address, No. 50, care Sentinel. 4-24-1m

FOR SALE—Or exchange for city property, 70 acre farm. Inquire at 902 Columbia avenue. 4-27-1m

FOR SALE—Nearly new 9 room house and 50 foot lot; West Superior St.; a bargain; $2,200. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new 7 room house, with electric lights; near Fox homestead, Fox St.; $2,250. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Six-slot roulette, equal to four or five ordinary slot machines. Write to Foss Novelty Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Corner lot facing Reservoir Park; paved street. Price only $1,750. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

FOR SALE—Residence on Fox street, near electric works. Owner has left city. Will name bargain price. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—House and full lot on West Williams street, $2,250; a real bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—First-class second-hand building brick; cleaned and delivered for $5 per m. Emmett Martin, Hanna and Buchanan Sts. Telephone 0379. 5-9-tf

FOR SALE—Nine room dwelling, with bath, large barn, full lot, on South Calhoun street. Can be had at a bargain. Owner leaving city. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

FOR SALE—If you want to invest in city property or a farm, call on R. Stahl, office 408 East Washington street, corner of Lafayette. Home 'phone 1634. 11-10-tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a nice residence on Washington boulevard, containing 10 rooms and bath; large lot. Address, "Boulevard," this office. 4-28-tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage on Putnam street; at a bargain if taken at once. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—An elegant big black horse; 17 hands high; 6 years old. Apply at 818 Webster street, or at office of Foster's Waist Factory. 5-8-tf

FOR SALE—A large rooming house in central part of the city, 20 rooms and all modern conveniences. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—35 feet front, 84 feet deep, south side of West Creighton Ave., near Calhoun, $1,250; situated second east of Mrs. Henderson's property. Henry M. Williams. 3-18tf

FOR SALE—Houses in all parts of city; also will build you a house from $1,000 up. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Two new eight-room modern houses, on Columbia avenue, one square from bridge. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Two new six-room houses on Eliza street; both kinds of water and gas; electric wired; if sold at once $1,800 each. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. Home 'phone 1545. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Eight-room house on Third street; bath complete with motor; electric lights; pavements paid; fruit; fine cellar; if sold soon, $3,000. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. Home 'phone 1545. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Excellent building lots, in Jacobs' addition, on North Clinton street; fifteen minutes' walk from court house, three minutes from Spy Run avenue electric cars; for sale on favorable terms. J. H. Jacobs. 3-10-tf

FOR SALE—The Anderson property, on Spy Run avenue; 11 acres, ten minutes' walk from court house; will make 71 lots; figure what the lots are worth yourself, then come and see me. Geo. K. Torrence, Sole Agent, No. 9 Arcade. 5-14-tf

FOR SALE—Special Bargains—Lot 62x250, on asphalt street in Bloomingdale, with five-room house; seven-room house on East Butler street (north front), can be sold with 25 feet or 50 feet; very desirable half lot on East Butler street; several small properties on Walton avenue, well located for railroaders; new seven-room house on Fairfield avenue, south of Creighton; choice lots in Swinney's and Industrial Park additions, sold on easy terms. Louis F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 5-11-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Choice corner lot, West Wayne St.; $3,100. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Two choice lots on Columbia ave.; only $750 each; $1,400 for both. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—A bargain, at bargain price, residence West DeWald, near Calhoun. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, full lot, $1,575; central location; South Wayne. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Property on nearly every street in the city. See what I have before you buy. F. G. Gauntt. 1-28-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern house; 8 rooms, hot water heat; Washington boulevard; $4,200. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Lots in Vankahlden's addition, in the Broadway grove, from $250 to $800. W. E. Doud, Agent. 7tf

FOR SALE—A 6, 7 and 8-room house on East Lewis street, $2,000 to $2,500; a 7 and 8-room house on East Jefferson street. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—In Bloomingdale, 11 houses, $1,000 to $3,000; in Lakeside, seven houses, $1,300 to $4,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Near Pennsylvania round house, ten new houses which can be bought on monthly payments. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Eight business blocks in heart of city, all paying good interest on investment; prices range from $4,000 to $15,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—8 modern houses on West DeWald, West Williams and West Butler streets, $2,400 to $3,000; 7 cottages in South Wayne, $1,100 to $2,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Two beautiful suburban homes just at the edge of the city, modern house on Liberty street, $2,000; 3 modern houses on Spy Run avenue, have only been built a year. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—25 good farms, 40 to 240 acres, in Aboite, Milan, Marion, St. Joe, Perry, Cedar Creek, Jefferson and Pleasant townships, $40 to $75 per acre; some will trade for city property. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Vacant lots in all parts of the city on which I will build you a home after your own design and sell on monthly payments; office open every evening. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Two special bargains in modern houses on West Berry and West Washington streets, also five modern houses on Washington boulevard and 6 on West Wayne street, $2,400 to $10,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

ALL AFFLICTED with a cough of long standing resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 1511 Fairfield avenue. 3-31-tf

FOR SALE—A modern ten-room house on N. E. cor. of Creighton ave. and Harrison street. This is one of the best pieces of property on the south side and can be had at a bargain price. Also 45-foot vacant lot on Pontiac street, near Lafayette; price $650. G. Davis, rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 3-27tf

FOR SALE—A 50-foot lot on Creighton Ave., DeWald or Butler St. between Calhoun and Hoagland, brings $2,200 to $2,400. I offer four 35-foot lots (only 7½ feet less space on each side), south fronts, on Butler St., west of Webster, and will sell two of them at $1,400 each, if taken soon; the other two will then be advanced to $1,600 each; pavements and sewers paid; 10-year-old maple trees in grass plat between sidewalk and curb. Apply to Henry M. Williams, or to any real estate agent. 18dtf

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V. Patterson, janitor at the Pittsburg paint shop, is off duty on account of the serious illness of his wife.

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WILL VOTE AGAINST IT

Majority of Delegates Oppose Building Home for Indigent Conductors.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 16.—At today's session of the convention of the Order of Railway Conductors the delegates resumed their discussion of several measures which had been reported adversely by the jurisprudence committee. All considered today were defeated and the recommendations of the committee thus upheld. Late in the afternoon they began the third and final readings of the measures providing for changes in the laws of the order. They expect to finish this work at Monday's session.

The question for a permanent home for the disabled members of the order will also probably be reached on Monday. It was stated today that the matter will be voted down with but little discussion, as there is a unanimous feeling against it. The movement for a permanent home was begun several years ago, at which time the Order of Railway Trainmen was invited to join.

The election of officers for the next two years and the choosing of a place for the next biennial meeting will probably come up on Tuesday. All of the present grand officers will be re-elected.

Will Meet in Boston.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 16.—The International Machinists' convention adjourned today to meet in Boston in September, 1905.

The following delegates were elected to attend the American Federation of Labor convention:

George Warner, New York; James J. Creamer, Richmond, Va.; John Hammersteim, Washington, D. C.; A. R. Ireland, Chicago.

Yesterday the convention voted to make their national official headquarters in Washington, D. C., and completed the election of officers as follows:

Editor of the Official Journal—D. Douglas Wilson, Birmingham, Ala.

General Secretary-Treasurer—Geo. Preston, Detroit, Mich.

Executive Board—Hugh Doran, Chicago; James Reynolds, Cleveland; M. L. Ford, New York; E. L. Tucker, Washington, D. C.; Henry Garrett, Atlanta, Ga.

Will Have Special Train.

The Fort Wayne camps of the Modern Woodmen of America and their friends will go to Indianapolis on Thursday, June 18, several hundred strong and on a special train which will run through without stopping only to supply fuel and water to the engine. Negotiations for the train over the Lake Erie and Western were concluded by Agent O. W. Crapser this morning. It will leave this city at 5:30 a. m.; reach Indianapolis at 9 a. m.; start on the return trip at 10 o'clock and arrive at Fort Wayne at 1 o'clock the following morning. This gives a stay of thirteen hours in Indianapolis, which is ample for all purposes. The fare has been placed at a popular figure. The Modern Woodmen of America will hold their national meeting at Indianapolis on the date mentioned and thousands of delegates and visitors will assemble there.

Shopmen's Half Holiday.

Notices were posted on the several bulletin boards in the Pennsylvania shops this morning, announcing that, commencing on June 6, the shops will cease operations at 12 o'clock, giving the employes a half-holiday each week during the summer months. This is an arrangement that will be hailed with pleasure by the shopmen, who have advocated such a move. It is inaugurated on a good day, also, June 6 being the date of the Electric employes' excursion to Rome City and the coming of the Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' circus.

Commence Ballasting Tuesday.

Next Tuesday the Lake Erie and Western will put four or five work trains in service on the Fort Wayne branch, ballasting and otherwise bettering the road. It is quite likely that as many engine crews will be made by advancing some of the firemen and hiring other men to take the vacant places. A number of laborers will also be needed. The Fort Wayne branch of the system, which has not received very much attention up to date, is to be brought to the excellent standard of the Lake Erie and Western as a whole.

Wreck on the Nickel Plate.

Engineer Vogt, who runs in and out of Bellevue, on the eastern division of the Nickel Plate, and who is well known to the trainmen living in this city, was injured in a wreck near Ashtabula yesterday morning. From the meagre reports from the scene it appears that the accident was a rear end collision between the first and second sections of eastbound freight trains No. 36. Ten or twelve cars were piled up and one of them contained hogs, many of the swine being killed. The tracks were blocked several hours.

A Runaway Engine.

Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton engine, No. 6, which brought in the passenger train at 7:10 o'clock last evening, got tired of waiting for the hostler to take her into the Wabash round house and started for that place on her own hook. She had gone only a short distance, however, when she ran against a Wabash engine, demolishing both pilots. The runaway was stopped before any further damage was done. The opening of the throttle valve is a mystery which the railway men are trying to solve.

Special Train on Pittsburg.

A special train bearing Third Vice President J. J. Turner, of the Pennsylvania, and a number of the division officials, passed through the city, eastbound, at 9 o'clock this morning. From Chicago to Fort Wayne the train was in charge of Conductor George Bonter, Engineer J. Q. McClellan and Fireman W. Biedenweg, and from this city to Crestline it was in charge of Conductor A. Miller, Engineer Ira Burger and Fireman G. R. Childs.

Brakeman Has Hand Hurt.

Brakeman L. G. Harris, of Conductor Grundsch's crew, on the Pittsburg road, had his right hand badly injured at Van Wert yesterday afternoon. The member was caught while Mr. Harris was endeavoring to pull around a coupling knuckle of a car on the siding at Van Wert. He was taken to the office of Dr. Morgan, in that city, where the wounded member was dressed, and then sent to this city. Dr. C. B. Stemen is attending him.

Will Bring in Big Crowd.

The Wabash road will bring several hundred people into the city tomorrow on the two special trains, one of which starts from Lafayette and the other from Toledo. The former will arrive here at 11:10 o'clock and the Toledo train at 11:25, and both will start upon the return trip at 7:30 in the evening.

Wabash Engine Output.

During the week ending today the Wabash repaired and turned over to service seven engines, as follows: Nos. 605, 187, 190, 756, 250, 558 and 1124. During the week the following were taken in for repairs: Nos. 406, 809, 337, 608 and 1348.

Industrial Notes.

William Haenel, of the Nickel Plate, is fishing at Bass lake. He expects to remain there until next Wednesday.

Fireman T. A. Ryland is moving his family from Warsaw to this city. He is employed on the Pittsburg road.

Thomas Cook, special apprentice at the Pennsylvania shops, has gone to Oshkosh, Wis., to visit his parents.

Fifteen organs from the Packard Organ and Piano works left the city this morning for Hamburg, Germany.

A five panel switchboard and all its attachments was loaded at the Electric works today for shipment to Tiffin, Ind.

General Manager J. J. Wood and General Sales Agent F. S. Hunting, of the Fort Wayne Electric company, will leave this evening for Philadelphia.

J. J. Munroe, an apprentice at the Wabash shops, had an eye injured this morning by a piece of steel getting into it.

Clarence Kirchefer, stationary fireman, has resigned his position at the Wabash shops to work with his father, the painter and decorator.

Yard Conductor Theodore Biey, of the Pennsylvania, has returned from Anderson, where he attended the state encampment of the G. A. R.

Fred Geiger, a traveling salesman, is in the city to spend Sunday with his brother, William Geiger, of the Pennsylvania.

Motive Power Superintendent Gilmore, of the Nickel Plate, is in Chicago today on business for the Nickel Plate.

Pittsburg Firemen H. Hamilton and C. I. Hale, and their wives, will go to Chicago early next week to visit friends for a few days.

E. Wilson, a machinist's helper, has resigned his position at the Wabash shops to take a position as fireman on the Lake Erie and Western road.

Allen lodge, No. 20, will give a public tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers, 2414 Walton avenue, next Thursday afternoon and evening.

J. E. Noble is in Decatur, Ind., today in the interest of the Bass Foundry and Machine works. Mr. Noble returned last night from a trip into Michigan upon a similar mission.

F. Salway, E. Wilson and C. M. Federspeil resigned their positions in the Wabash shops this morning. The first named will go to Cleveland to take a position in railway shops.

W. O. France, of the Pittsburg smith shop, has returned from Joplin, Mo., where he went some time ago with a fine horse belonging to Charles MacDougall.

Machinist E. E. Carrigan, of the Pittsburg, is out and called upon his friends at the shops yesterday. He will soon report for duty. Mr. Carrigan was injured a few days ago.

C. Bruns, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, had the third finger of his right hand badly pinched yesterday afternoon and will be off duty some days on account of the injury.

The application of Elton J. King for patents upon an electric meter have been granted. The patentee, who was meter engineer at the Electric works for a number of years, died last winter.

At a meeting of the local freight agents last Thursday afternoon, E. H. Kirkland, of the Pennsylvania, was elected president and H. C. Moderwell of the Nickel Plate, secretary and treasurer of the organization.

Dr. Arthur, relief medical examiner for the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association, who has been in this city several weeks, went to Pittsburg last night to assist in examining a number of applicants.

Henry Cramer, a stationary engineer, has resigned his position at the saw mills of Smith & Randall and will go to Indianapolis, where he has secured a better position in the same line of work.

Brakeman Chamness, of the Nickel Plate, has been off duty a few days, entertaining his wife from Hammond. As soon as they can secure suitable quarters, Mr. and Mrs. Chamness will move here.

Fireman McConnell has resigned his position on the Nickel Plate to go to Chicago to work. He had been with the Nickel Plate only a few months. C. Marks, a round house employe, has also resigned to take a position elsewhere.

Ed Mattinger, of the Wabash boiler shops, has recovered from an illness which kept him from his work about three months. J. Smurr, stationary fireman, has also recovered from an illness which kept him in the Peru hospital several days.

Frank Dobler, of the Pittsburg round house, who has been in poor health for some months, will make a trip to Denver, Col., in the hope that it will restore his health. The young man is a son of Theodore Dobler, a clerk at the round house.

Conductors C. W. Spangler and C. A. Bowman, the former off ten days, reported for duty on the Nickel Plate yesterday. Mr. Bowman was a witness in court, the defendant being a vicious lad whom it was desired to send to the reformatory.

Thomas L. Sturgeon, who has been transferred to Philadelphia, will move his family to that city. Mr. Sturgeon has been in the employ of the Fort Wayne Electric company several years and his removal from the city will be regretted by a large circle of friends.

The executive committee of American Railway Master Mechanics and Master Car Builders' association has decided to postpone the annual convention from June 17 to 24 to June 24 to July 1, and has changed the place from Mackinac Island to Saratoga, N. Y.

Motive Power Superintendent J. B. Barnes, of Springfield; Z. A. Bird, general foreman of the Tilton shops, and Traveling Engineer A. S. Mead, of Peru, are in the city on business connected with their respective departments on the Wabash. Mr. Barnes will remain here over Sunday.

The work of enlarging the Nickel Plate yards at Bellevue is now in progress and the company will endeavor to have them completed by the close of navigation, when the volume of freight commences to increase. The Sentinel mentioned the purchase of land at Bellevue for this purpose some weeks ago.

A. P. Froumuth, of the Fort Wayne Electric works, and Miss Lena Holzhauer will be married at St. Patrick's Catholic church at an early hour Tuesday morning, June 2. This young couple is popular with acquaintances and the coming nuptial affair is a matter of considerable interest to their friends.

Ed Tilton, a machinist who has been employed in the night gang at the Wabash shops, has resigned and left today for Mattoon, Ill., where he will join an old friend on a western tour. They propose to pay traveling expenses by stopping to work a few days in the leading cities through which they will pass.

Mrs. Charles M. Bushey, of Van Buren street, entertained the H. W. club yesterday afternoon, the guest of honor being Mrs. Kate Scott, of Chicago. In the pedro game, Mrs. Estry won first and Mrs. Sarah Zeigler won the second prize. The ladies in this club are the wives or mothers of railway men.

Al Pressler, a machinist, has been granted a three months' leave of absence from the Bass shops for the purpose of making a western trip. He will travel by "short stages," stopping a few days in cities and towns of interest, until he reaches Seattle, Wash., wher he expects to spend several weeks.

Brakeman J. T. Holly, of the Nickel Plate, has taken a lay off to help his parents. Conductor and Mrs. John Holly, in the work of moving to Bellevue. The senior Holly has been promoted as passenger conductor and this made a residence in Bellevue necessary.

Stenographer Ed. M. Pfeiffer, of Road Foreman C. R. Colmey's office, will read a condensed report of the proceedings of the convention of the Y. M. C. A. at Topeka, Kan., at the meeting of the local Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon. Secretary J. W. Burns will also talk upon the same subject at this meeting.

Engineer Castello, who is running the Wabash steam shovel at Attica, had a foot painfully injured in the machinery yesterday and will be unable to work for a week and perhaps longer. J. Miller, a steamfitter in the shops in this city, who is familiar with the work on the shovel, has gone to Attica to take Mr. Castello's place.

Frank Buckhurst and C. E. Lane, who were here looking into the merits of the Hicks extracting process, left yesterday afternoon for Washington, D. C., where they will remain a few weeks and then go to their homes in Melbourne, Australia. Before leaving the city they placed their order for a complete extracting outfit to be used in gold and silver mines in Australia.

John Zimmerman, the Maysville merchant, and Oscar Jump, the farmer, who were injured by being struck by a Wabash train last Tuesday, are getting along nicely. Mr. Zimmerman is able to walk about the house and yard at his home and Mr. Jump will soon be out. The accident was a "close call" and neither of the unfortunates care to repeat it.

Miss Lillian Holly, whose parents, Conductor and Mrs. John Holly, are moving to Bellevue, in order that Mr. Holly may take his place in the passenger service of the Nickel Plate, was given a farewell reception last evening by twenty-five of her young lady and gentlemen friends. The affair was a surprise upon the hostess and it proved to be very pleasant, despite the regretful feeling over the removal of Miss Holly from the city.

At the meeting of the per diem committee of the American Railway association, held in Cincinnati, it was decided that on and after June 1, if cars are delivered, there is to be no per diem charge on them, even if the waybills are not at hand. Under the present rule the car is not delivered until the waybill is at hand, or, if the car is delivered, it is customary to make the per diem charge and fill the date of the receipt of the waybill.

When Dr. E. F. Wagner left the city for the lakes Thursday morning he promised to bring back some fish for J. M. Baker, the ticket receiver. True to his promise Dr. Wagner appeared at the Baker home that evening, carrying a large market basket, which he handed to Mr. Baker with the remark: "I'm a man of my word; here's your fish." When Mr. Baker removed the paper covering to the basket he found a small box of sardines.

The Sentinel yesterday overlooked an item of interest concerning the Pennsylvania Employes' Athletic association. W. S. Wells, erecting foreman; John J. Lynch, coppersmith; Henry Tonsing, blacksmith, and Geo. Kronemiller, of the planing mills, were selected to represent their respective departments on the executive board, which has complete control of the arrangements for the field day. Other departments will select their representatives in a few days.

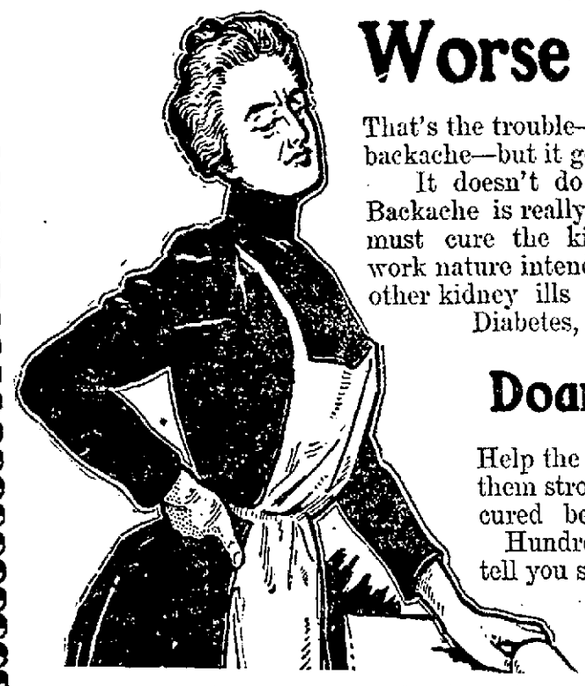
It is reported here upon what is considered good authority that the Lake Shore company contemplates building a spur from its main line near Angola to Lake James and to enter the Fort Wayne field for resort business. A number of Fort Wayne people pay visits to Lake James during the fishing season and several of them have cottages at that resort. These people will welcome the construction of a railway to the lake, as they are now compelled to ride in a buggy four miles to reach the lake.

Col. R. G. Thompson says the Wabash has made arrangements with the Monon whereby the Continental limited will make close connection at Lafayette with a train over the latter road for West Baden Springs, which obviates the long and tedious wait at Lafayette, which formerly characterized the trip. This will be a pleasant bit of news to those who make occasional journeys to the springs. The passenger can leave this city at 11:20 a. m. and reach the springs at 8:30 p. m.

C. P. Cherry, Adam LaMar, Clarence Haynes and W. H. Ortman, of the Pennsylvania offices, are fishing today, the two former at Davis lake and the two last named at Kankakee. Messrs. Haynes and Ortman took so much fishing tackle and appurtenances that they could not carry it on one train and they divided it. Mr. Ortman went to the river on No. 15 and Mr. Haynes on No. 37. Unfortunately for Mr. Ortman he had only the bait, while his partner had the tackle. No. 37 was delayed by a freight wreck on the Chicago Terminal division, and Mr. Haynes and the tackle arrived at the fishing place about the time they should be packing up for the home trip. As a fishing expedition, the trip is not a phenomenal success.

The Delphos and Northern Railroad company was incorporated at Columbus, Ohio, Thursday, with a capital stock of $25,000, the incorporators being men interested in the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road. Chief Engineer C. A. Wilson, of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, is having the surveys and plans made for the road. Originally it was the intention of President Woodford, of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, to extend the Delphos branch or spur only as far as the Findlay, Fort Wayne and Western road, thus making a direct line between this city and Cincinnati. It now seems that he has changed his mind, for the road is to be built northward to the Michigan state line. The capital stock will be increased as soon as construction is commenced on the road.

Worse Every Day



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"Yes," replied the tourist. "Weel, she's ready. Jist ye gang doon there an' row oot tae the middle, an' I'll come doon tae the bank an' swear at ye. But dinna heed me, jist row on, an' I'll ca' for the siller the morn's mornin'."—Scottish-American.

TRADING ON WEAKNESS.

The incident happened in Philadelphia, at a club house, where a number of gentlemen were dining. As all the seats were filled a newcomer was disappointed, because he wanted to get through with his dinner and be off. He was about to turn away, when he noticed an absent-minded friend comfortably seated at the table and reading a paper. He saw that the absent-minded man was waiting to be served with his meal. Calling a waiter, the newcomer said:

"Take Mr. A. his bill and tell him he has had his dinner."

"But he hasn't!" exclaimed the waiter.

"He will never know the difference. Tell him he is through."

The waiter presented the bill.

"What is this for?" asked Mr. A.

"For your dinner, sir."

"My dinner—ah! Have I really had it? Excuse me; what a mistake! I thought I was waiting."

And the poor victim of the joke left the table, under the impression that he had eaten his meal.—Golden Days.

STILL FINER SHIPS.

The designer of the Kaiser Wilhelm II., the emperor of the oceans, is reported as saying that in the construction of that vessel the limit of marine achievement has probably been reached and will not be surpassed hereafter, says the New York Tribune. Nevertheless, it ought not to be forgotten that generations ago the famous engineer who planned the gigantic Great Eastern declared that no ship of later days could possibly excel that titanic but unfortunate hulk.

The Kaiser Wilhelm II., the Deutschland, the Cedric and the Celtic, the Oceanic and the Majestic and other big ocean boats which cross the Atlantic nowadays represent impressive progress since the Great Eastern was proved to be an immensely expensive failure. Is it at all certain that the shipyards of the future will not put afloat even finer specimens of splendid steamships than the best now known?

THE TALLEST PEOPLE.

In a comparative table of stature, arranged according to nationalities, the United States Indian stands higher than any other race of the world, though the Patagonian runs him very close, says American Medicine. The white citizen comes next. The United States negro ranks fourteenth in the scale, and of all the countries in the world considered the Portuguese are found to be the shortest. It has always been proverbial among anatomists that blonde nations are greater than their darker neighbors. This is due to the geologic positions of the blonde races. They are characteristic of the north, and on account of the lower degree of temperature are induced to take more exercise, which throws them more in the open air. At the top of the list of countries, arranged in order of stature, the first seven, after the United States white men, are Norway, Scotland, British America, Sweden, Ireland, Denmark and Holland, all northern nations.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

A couple of tourists staying at a hotel in Inverness wished to go out for a row on the loch one fine Sunday, and went to find the boatman, whom they met just going to church with an extra-sized bible under his arm. "We would like to hire a boat for a row on the loch," said one of them. The boat hirer looked surprised. "Dae ye no' ken it's the Sawbath day?" he asked. "Ye'll no' get a boat frae me the day, for I'll ha'e ye ken I'm an elder o' the kirk." After some expostulation by the tourists he continued: "Ah, weel, I'll no' let ye the boat, but dae ye see yon green boat doon amang the rashes?"

WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes, "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Poister.

The house had been full of aunties come to spend the holidays, and the baby's 6-year-old brother was heard one morning confiding his woe to his father.

"Say, papa, do you know I've had to sleep a whole week in a room just full of women?"—Lippincott's Magazine for May.

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Crown Nainsook in choice colorings, stripe and floral effects, 12½c a yard.
Florizel Silk finished lawns, a fine fabric, printed in dainty patterns, 15c a yard.
Tula stripe Nainsook, one of the season's prettiest fabrics, 18c a yard.
Honitan Lace stripe batiste, exceedingly pretty and stylish, instead of 25c, 20c a yard.
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Women's fast black lisle lace, full fashioned hose, 25c a pair.
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Women's fast black all over, lace lisle hose, a bargain, 3 pair for $1.00.
Women's fine fast black, lace lisle hose, instead of 50c, 42c a pair.
Men's lace lisle sox, in fast black and colors, not 25c, 19c a pair.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, May 16.—Forecast for Indiana—Generally fair and warm tonight and probably Sunday; east to brisk southerly winds.

CITY BREVITIES.

C. F. Cole has returned to the city, after a western trip. He is a Nickel Plate brakeman and he reported for duty today.

Mrs. J. V. Reul, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Schultz, will entertain the South Side Aid society Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Reul, 514 West Jefferson street.

"Bert" Lichtenwalter, of the firm of Bryson & Lichtenwalter, barbers at Wayne and Calhoun streets, had two fingers badly mashed Friday. Mr. Lichtenwalter's hand was caught in the door of a safe as he closed the strong box.

The many friends of M. J. Campion, of the South Side news and cigar stand, will be pleased to learn that he is able to be about again. Mr. Campion has been ill for about two months and underwent several operations at St. Joseph's hospital.

August Korn, the Broadway grocer, pleasantly entertained a company of friends at his home on Swinney avenue last evening in honor of the fifty-fourth anniversary of his birth. About twenty guests were present and Mr. Korn was the recipient of a number of very handsome gifts.

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Eagles' Committee Returns from Paducah, Ky., Where They Saw the Attractions That are to be Here at Carnival in June.

Messrs. E. C. Buck, C. B. Bryson and E. E. Hite have returned from their trip to Paducah, Ky., where they went through all the exhibits and shows of Ferari Brothers' Great London Carnival company which is slated to appear here in its entirety for the week commencing June 22d under the auspices of the Eagles. It took several days to take a thorough "look in," but the object of their journey was finally accomplished and proved more than gratifying.

Among the big acts they witnessed and were highly pleased with was the "Loop the Loop," performed by an artist who possesses all the proclivities of the most daring and intrepid performer that ever gave the public a hair-raising experience. From an elevation that protrudes through the top of the dome of the Athenian circus he dashes down an incline at an incalculable rate of speed and shoots upward through the thirty-foot circle. Going into the loop he rides as if on a side wall and when at the top of the circle he is upside down and then in a flash he precipitates downward acutely and rides out on to the run-off, making four reverses in his riding position which are extremes of each other. Words fail to depict the marvelousness of the feat. It must be seen to appreciate its greatness and to realize the nerve and adroitness of the death-defying man who runs the gauntlet in which a slight mismove would mean his fate.

At a great outlay Francis Ferari has succeeded in contracting for the aerial whirl. Three courageous youths who are adept bicyclists display unlimited courage and adroitness by riding about in a whirl that is far above the heads of the spectators and performing tricks and figures that few would undertake on the surface of mother earth.

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"Comet" does a ride for life down a seventy-foot ladder placed at an angle of forty-five degrees in a manner that causes many to conjecture as to the possibilities of what can be accomplished by an artist on a cycle.

The Wild Animal Show under the personal direction of Francis Ferari contains the finest collection of wild beasts that have ever been put before the public. All quarters of the globe have been scoured by men who make a profession of getting the finest specimens. The world's most noted trainers and keepers are employed to look after the dens and habitues which incidentally require much bravado.

With five big Nubian lions Princess De LaWar furnishes entertainment that no pen picture can accurately describe. She is a frail and petite little lady who does not fear any beast of the jungle and has made pets of all with whom she has come in contact. With almost human instinct the brutes obey her every command.

Captain Cardona, Professor Briggs, Mlle. DeVere and Captain De Osta, who is noted as being one of the greatest trainers extant, are among the corps that serve to amuse the public. A myriad of electric lights illuminate the front of the gorgeous animal show, which is a gilded marvel of the engraver's art. An immense orchestrion equal in volume and tone to an orchestra of one hundred pieces was imported from Paris to desiminate the latest airs for the patrons of the animal show.

Cub lions recently born are passed among the audience for the people to fondle and caress. The boxing kangaroo and "Fatima," the "Houchy Couchy" bear, are remarkable animal comedians who create many laughs a minute.

Speedy, the highest high diver in the universe makes a leap from the top of a tower one hundred and twenty feet high into a tank of water three feet deep. Speedy has jumped from Brooklyn bridge on several occasions and regards it an easy task. "The higher I get the better I like it," is a saying common with this man, who has no regards for gravitation. Distance only lends enchantment to the heroic emolator, Captain Webb.

The Athenian circus has every sort of act on its large and varied program known to vaudeville. The loop the loop heads the list. A slide for life by a shapely lady, who styles herself Loie Russell; high wire walking, trapese performing by the famous brothers Stiner is away ahead of all others in their line.

Enoch, the man fish, who has the record for endurance under water, gives a tank exhibition. In it he plays musical instruments while under water, smokes a pipe and sings operatic selections while under the surface of the briny. Enoch's ability to stay under water for nearly five minutes has given him the record.

Joseph Ferraris Ghost show is original with the enterprising manager who conducts it. A red hot comedy is portrayed during the rendition of which a ghost appears every few minutes in an unseeming and unexplainable manner. All efforts to touch it are fruitless, although it appears within a few inches of a person. To produce the apparation has cost thousands of dollars and nearly a year's rehearsal by a company of competent performers.

The Liliputians are the smallest caste of actors that ever attempted to play parts and are very entertaining. The little fellows are clever singers and dancers and even athletes, as the work of the Snipe brothers demonstrate.

The beautiful Orient with its camels, donkeys and Egyptian surroundings is a clean show that is instructive to one and all. The habits and customs of the mother country are adhered to.

The statue turning to life and a dancing group of ladies form another very strong attraction. The dancers of this show have won the highest praise throughout the country.

Lunnette, the flying girl, is a mysterious act that proved to be a great entertainment. She dances and poses in mid air, while under a hypnotic spell. The dog and pony show, Dollitta, the little singer and dancer, and the educated sea lions are of the highest character of shows.

The German village this year will be a greater attraction than ever, the committee having secured a most elaborate stage setting and fourteen vaudeville artists, that never fail to keep the crowds that flock in to see the show in a continual uproar.

The Eagles will give the show in the base ball park, and the cycle whirl, high dive, riding down the ladder and the monkey balloon ascension will be given as free acts.

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QUAINT REPUBLIC IN HEART OF TURKEY.

The idea of an independent republic in the heart of the Turkish empire sounds unreal. Mount Athos, the Holy mountain (as it is commonly called by Greeks and Slavs), consists of twenty monasteries, eleven villages, 250 cells, and 150 hermitages, with a population of some 3,000 monks and as many lay brothers, who are known as kosmiki, or worldlings. No moslem save the sultan's representative, no woman or female animal may enter the sacred territory, and an army of fifty Albanian guards is stationed at Karyas, the captital, to keep them out. The favorite jest of ribald visitors is leveled at the admission of female fleas, but the monks retort that their hospitality prevents them from instituting the necessary search.

Few travelers visit Mount Athos, for it is by no means easy of acccess, but it amply repays an effort as well by its natural wonders as by its unique character and its romantic traditions. It is the sole remaining theocracy in the world; it contrives to combine independence and authority, faith and charity, austerity and happiness in a manner unrivaled at any other time or place. To reach it you must repair to Salonica, the Mohammedan town, whose population is five-sixths Jew, and take a local steamer to the Chersonese of our schooldays. If you are wise you will select a Russian boat, not merely because good food will be a certainty on board, but also because your fellow pilgrims are sure to repay perusal. There on the deck are strange beings in brown robes and mustard mantles, with sandals on their feet and yellow caps like glorified sponge cakes upon their heads. These are the monks of the mountains, rugged looking fellows as a rule, but kindly and talkative. Like all the clergy of the orthodox church, they are forbidden to cut their hair. Some compromise by rolling it up into a chignon inside their caps, but the majority cultivate a porcupine appearance, with long manes down their backs and bristling beards of enormous length.

Soon the solemn peak of Athos comes into view, bright and white as it rises sheer from the sea at the end of the peninsula, dark and mysterious with its cloak of dense forest. The monks will tell you that from the little chapel of the annunciation at the summit you may descry the sun three hours before it rises, but it is difficult to make them explain precisely what they mean by that. Rounding the cape, you land in the small harbor of Daphne, where a choice of two indifferent Greek inns await you for the night. If the day is not too far advanced you will do well to push on to Karyas, the capital of the republic. It is a picturesque village, hidden among the gardens and olive yards on the eastern slope of the holy mountain. The overhanging rocks are studded with limpet hermitages and pock marked with cavern cells. There is only one street, lined by low wooden cottages and a bazaar or honeycomb of open shops, where monks drive a modest trade in rosaries, pictures, images and various household articles made by the hermits. At the end of the street stands the council chamber, an unpretentious building not conspicuously larger than the others. Besides this there is little to see except the church, which I suppose we must call a cathedral. It is the oldest edifice in the peninsula, and contains some Byzantine frescoes of the eleventh century.

Each of the twenty monasteries sends one delegate to the synod. He resides during his year of office at Karyas, with a number of novices who attend school there. Four more delegates are taken from the four "imperial" monasteries, and this parliament of twenty-four elects every four years a president, known as "the first of Athos," who rules the state. His "foreign affairs" are practically limited to settling with the Turkish commissioner, who receives the annual tribute of $7,500 to $22,000. But the president exercises a limited authority, for he can do nothing without the delegates of the four "imperial" monasteries, who act as his privy council. No act is valid without their seal. This is a silver instrument and is cut up into four parts, one part being held by each of the privy councilors, so that it can never be joined together unless all four are agreed. And the president holds an ingenious key, without which the four parts cannot be joined, so that he, too, enjoys a practical veto.

On arriving at Karyas your first duty is to visit the kaimakam. This is a Turkish title usually given to district prefects but here allotted to a Christian who is in command of the Albanian guard. The only article of contraband in the republic is the eternal feminine, so there is no need to search your luggage at the custom house. But the utmost vigilance is exercised to exclude the dangerous sex. Beardless youths are especially suspect and the soldiers can tell strange stories of inquisitive women who have tried to penetrate in disguise. As cows and female goats are excluded, you are surprised to find an abundance of milk at many of the monasteries, but you learn that this is brought daily in large quantities from the mainland. The prohibition of females, you learn, was originally due not so much to the fear of temptation or scandal as to a desire on the part of the original monks to keep the mountain to themselves. Their rule proved an effectual obstacle to the invasion of shepherds, who desired to colonize this fertile region. It is said that a Byzantine empress insisted on visiting Athos, but she lived to regret it.

The chief industry at Karyas is that of silk worms, from which you may argue that the prohibition of females is not carried to an illogical extent. If you desire to spend a night at the capital you may find a bedroom, but it will probably have to be cleared of silk worms first, and you will be lucky if you do not find other insects remain to torment you. However, it is likely that you will prefer to push on to the Russicon, the Russian monastery, which is only four hours' mule ride away.

As you approach you are impressed and bewildered by that strange fortress-sanctuary, with its bristling array of bastions, towers, turrets, redans and parapets, all stained, riddled and crenellated by the action of time and tempest. As far as the eye can see there is no opening anywhere along the whole expanse of walls. Wooden galleries project beneath the roof, but they are of comparatively recent construction, having only been added since the pirates ceased to harry the Holy mountain. They are painted a defiant blood red. The whole mass of masonry clings acrobat like to a rock, which is covered with luxuriant verdure.

You draw up at a venerable double door, covered with bolts and bars like a prison, and admire an image of the Holy Virgin in golden vestments which glisten through a grating over the gateway. Doffing your cap in deference to the orthodox custom, you enter a large courtyard, in the center of which is the catholicon, a noble cathedral with five cupolas ornamented with fantastic tracery. All around the square are monks' cells with a double row of arcades.

You are received by the heguman, who answers to an abbot. The etiquet is to hand him immediately a sum of money amounting to six or seven francs a head per diem for your estimated stay. Then, after compliments, he will lead you straight into the church. This is the rule of St. Basil, under which all the monasteries are, that guests shall go first to the shrine. After that you will see your room and receive hospitable entertainment.

Many profitable and happy days may be spent in wandering from monastery to monastery all over this strange peninsula, home of those who are weary of the world. Iveron is like a huge village and astounds you by the confusion of its architecture. To the right is a venerable chateau, which recalls that of St. Germain and the Escurial at the same time. Then comes a Roman villa. There are glimpses of Cagliari, of Rhenish castles, or rural pleasaunces, of oriental kiosques, of Irish towers, of the remotest lands and the wildest dreams. The whole nestles in a demure valley by the sea. And with the solemn romance comes a feeling of sadness, an impression of damp porches, cold courts and dreary corridors. The pictures here are mostly morbid.

The image of the Blessed Virgin, which occupies a niche behind a heavy grating over the doorway, is highly venerated. The legend runs that Theophilus, patriarch of Alexandria, the enemy of St. John Chrysostom, had burned several monasteries and dispersed their images. This one he cast into the sea and it traveled miraculously to Mount Athos. Another is to be seen in a small chapel dedicated to the twelve apostles. It is related that in the year 650 pirates broke into the monastery. Their leader, an Ethiopian, entered the chapel and stabbed the image with a knife, whereupon a stream of blood gushed forth. Touched by the miracle, he and his followers were converted and joined the monastery, where they set an example of great piety. The image still bears upon its face an ugly scar and traces of blood, and the monastery commemorates the incident by the figure of a negro, who supports a huge wooden clock.

Hilender is interested, not only by its fairy tale appearance but also on account of recent events. It has been inhabited by Servians for countless generations, and possesses many treasures which date back to the days of the old Servian empire. But the Bulgarians, who are sparing no effort to oust the Servians from their Macedonian inheritance, have carried their propaganda even on to the holy mountain. They made a recent effort to seize Hilender and annex it for their own monks. This aroused extreme indignation at Belgrade, and is affording lively litigation before the council of the monks at Karyas. The fact is that Mount Athos has a political as well as religious importance. Many of the old risings against the Turks were fomented there, and it is likely that coming events in Macedonia are eagerly watched by the monks and their powerful patrons. Russia has always utilized the monasteries of the Balkans for insurrectionary preparations, and other states continue to connive at such proceedings. In old days all the monasteries of Mount Athos were armed, some of them with cannon, and this was originally necessary as a protection against pirates. But after the Greek war of independence Turkey forbade them to possess munitions of war. At Hilendar and elsewhere are loopholes in the walls to enable cannon to be fired against beslegers.

Zografon is considered among the most beautiful, with its marble walls and glistening cupolas and fantastic towers, but Dionysios and Simopetra (Simon Peter) are the most mysterious.

Ten of the monasteries are known as cenobite (living in common), the others as idiorhythmic (living separately). The first, or communist, class is by far the stricter. The monks receive all their necessaries from the monastery, take their meals together in the refectory, and are restricted to the same diet—namely; one daily meal, consisting of bread, vegetables, and water. For the first three days of the great forty day fasts they eat nothing at all if their health permits. They must devote six hours out of the twenty-four to religious exercises and twelve on festivals. Many of their services take place in the night, and you may see them from your guest chamber flitting about the courts like ghosts, bearing faint flickering lanterns in their hands.

The second, or individualist, class of monks live together in their monasteries, but each of them feeds and clothes himself as he pleases. The monastery provides bread and wine, but everything else must be found by the monks themselves. For this each receives a fixed sum of money according to his rank and office. They elect two or three monks as administrators for one year, but are practically free to order their lives as they please. The cenobites, on the other hand, owe entire obedience to a heguman, or abbot, who is elected by them for life.

The monks' cells are, perhaps, the dreariest of human habitations. The walls are covered with dingy whitewash, and the furniture consists of wooden divans, where they snatch short slumbers between the hours of prayer. They are by no means learned men, but they have contrived to keep up a strange medieval school of painting, which admits of fancy about as much as copperplate. Their libraries are chaotic, most of the books being huddled away in cupboards for worm and damp to corrupt. They have, moreover, been ransacked by experts.

The hermits of Mount Athos are entirely distinct from the monks. They live in huts or caves quite alone, almost like wild animals, and are held in reverence as saintly persons. But they do not like the monks. This seems to be a traditional feeling, for the hermits were first on the mountain and have always regarded every one else as an intruder. When Athanasius of Athos originally applied to Constantine for permission to build a monastery, the hermits sent a deputation to Byzantium to protest, but their prayer was not heard. No one knows exactly how they subsist. They will sometimes remain for months in the mountains and then come down half starved to barter rosaries or carved crosses for a few vegetables. And they take as little thought for their raiment as for their food. You may sometimes see one of them squatting on the rocks, clad only in a long beard.

The monks' republic deserves careful study, for it is one of the completest and most perfect relics of the middle ages that remain in the modern world. It is picturesque, romantic, and full of surprises. The climate is abominable and fevers abound, but more than that may be risked for so supreme a sensation as a visit to the holy mount.

SOME CURIOS OF DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

The most unique museum in the world, containing articles ranging "in value from diamond earrings to tooth powders, in pathetic interest from baby slippers to shrouds, and in matter for solemn meditation from Watts' hymns to Fox's 'Book of Martyrs,'" to quote from the report of Supt. David P. Leibhardt, in charge of the dead letter office, to the first assistant postmaster general for the year ended June 30, 1902, is located in the south wing of the postoffice department building in Washington.

The dead letter office is a branch of the service which has been a natural growth rather than a regularly appointed institution. The first records of its existence date in a general way from 1825, when efforts were first made to return to their owners and otherwise satisfactorily dispose of unclaimed matter received through the mails, and from the small beginnings nearly eighty years ago there has been established a regular department employing 130 clerks, whose duty it is to handle the 30,000 pieces of unclaimed mail which is received daily at the Washington postoffice.

One of the exhibits which attracts general attention when visitors are being shown through the museum is a love letter written in lead pencil on a board nearly three feet long and about ten inches wide. The writing is legible and round, though the spelling at times leaves something to be desired. It is not dated and begins abruptly with an appeal to "Dear Hattie" to explain her protracted silence and apparent indifference to the writer, who signs himself "Hans Hefs, alias Dick," and offers repeated assurances of his "constancy" and "sincerity" and his earnest hope that "no better looking Face has caught her Eye." It was sent unwrapped, but nevertheless was subject to letter postage, and as it was insufficiently stamped, "Dear Hattie" was duly notified that her letter could only be delivered upon payment of the 95 cents due on it. She replied that no communication from "Dick" was worth 95 cents to her, and the effusion was sent to Washington to be entered in the dead letter exhibit, in which it comes near being the star attraction.

Nearly an entire case in the museum is devoted to firearms, which have been held for postage or confiscated outright, the rules of the service being that no firearms may be sent through the mails unless taken apart and packed. Nearly every variety of pistol is represented, and in the center of the case in the place of honor reposes a dynamite bomb, which when received at the office was found to be loaded and in every particular ready for service on the spot.

Not long ago a German naturalist sent through the mails seventeen live snakes, carefully bestowed in a tin case and innocently marked in large letters, "Rattlesnakes." They now repose in jars of alcohol, surrounded by centipedes, horned toads, a little dead snake which came in a letter from Kansas and a large stuffed alligator, while a skull held for insufficient postage and on which is due $3.50 grins sardonically from the corner.

Coins from every quarter of the globe, a pipe 100 years old, sets of false teeth, a hair switch, wedding rings galore, slippers of every kind and description, from a baby's little pink and blue boots to beaded sandals from the lands across the sea, and strangest gift that could well be imagined—a pig's tail carefully looped and tied with pink ribbon; together with fruit cakes, candles, dolls, stuffed birds, lockets and old daguerreotypes, are shown impartially in one of the large glass cases, and the attendant earnestly asserts that hundreds of each article may be found in the store rooms, these being only samples.

Not all, however, may be duplicated. In one case is a pair of black kid gloves from the lost ship "Oregon" which were recovered after having been in the water 114 days. They look slightly shrunken and the kid is dulled in color, but otherwise the gloves apparently are in wearing condition.

The most tragic story in the annals of the dead letter office gathers around a sheet of 5-cent stamps to the amount of about $2, which is shown in an obscure corner of a case and to which is pinned a slip of official paper with a few terse notes indorsed thereon. Three years ago a package was received at the New York postoffice on which was due $1.20 postage. The person, a man, to whom it was addressed, was notified, but he declined to pay the amount necessary to claim the parcel, and it was accordingly sent to the Washington office, in compliance with the rule that permits branch offices to open only those packages which are tied, while all sealed matter must be sent to the dead letter office at Washington. When the carefully wrapped and sealed package was opened, the horrified clerks were confronted with the dead body of a little baby. The find came near demoralizing the entire force present in the opening room at the time, but the matter was promptly reported and the poor little body sent back to New York—not, however, by mail—to be turned over to the New York police force, and only the outer wrapping of the package was retained by the dead letter office in token of the most grewsome piece of mail ever handled by the service.

The photographs which remain unclaimed form a pathetic feature of the museum. The exhibit of photographs of the soldiers of the civil war numbers nearly 2,000, and the pictures are arranged in swinging frames revolving round a standard which is kept usually in the museum proper, but which was brought out in the lobby of the postoffice during the late G. A. R. encampment. Old soldiers and their friends and relatives entering the building were attracted at once to the pictures, and many were claimed, the only formality being a written statement or proof of ownership. Many of the places in the frames are now occupied by a slip bearing a name, address and regiment, followed by the entry, "Claimed by his son" or "daughter," as the case might be, and the date. Many of the old soldiers recognize themselves in the pictures of the "Boys of '61."

The work done at the dead letter office is almost beyond belief, both in volume and importance. The opening branch of the office handled in the past year 7,834,187 pieces and the ordinary unclaimed letters received during the year numbered 6,878,800, the New York postoffice alone sending here 802,144 letters, or nearly one-eighth of the total receipts of that class of matter. Over 50,000 letters contained money to the aggregate amount of upward of $48,000, and nearly 51,000 contained drafts, notes and money orders to the value of nearly $1,400,000. Computation shows that the actual money found and turned over averaged about $160 for every business day.

When all efforts to deliver the letters containing money have failed the money is separated from them at the end of three months and deposited in the treasury. Upon proper application and identification this money is reclaimable within four years, after which the direct action of congress is necessary. The amount so turned over during the year was $13,806.51.

Parcels of merchandise are held one year, if not sooner delivered, and are then sold at auction. The records show that 249,537 parcles were received during the year, of which 90,979 were returned to senders. The aggregate number included 16,030 intended for delivery abroad and Christmas presents, affectionate remembrances from one member to another of families long and widely separated by land and sea, from long-absent children to parents at home, tokens of the enduring interest which neither time nor distance can impair—all are pitifully represented in the unadorned item of "16,030 parcels addressed to foreign countries." Upwards of $1,600 was paid for forwarding these parcels after the necessary information had been obtained.

The earth now revolves on its axis once in twenty-four hours. There was a time, millions of years ago, very likely, when it revolved once in twenty-three hours. Earlier still it must have spun on its axis in twenty-two hours, while this succeeded a time when the day was only twenty hours. The very same arguments applied in those times which apply at the present, so that if we strain our vision back into the excessively remote past we find the earth spinning ever more and more rapidly, until at last we discern an epoch when the length of the day, having declined to eight hours and seven hours, had at last sunk to something like five or six hours.

This is the time when the moon's story commences, writes Robert Hall in the Booklover's Magazine. At this eventful period the earth accomplished about four revolutions in the same time that it now requires for a single one. We do not attempt to assign the antiquity of this critical moment. It must certainly have been far earlier than the time when this earth became fitted for the reception of organized life. It must have been, at least, many millions of years ago. If it be thought that the vagueness of our chronology is rather unsatisfactory, then it must be remembered that even historians, who have human records and monuments to guide them, are still often in utter uncertainty as to the periods during which mighty empires flourished or as to the dates at which great dynasties rose or fell.

But our story has another side to it. Among the profoundest laws of nature is that which asserts that action and reaction are equal and opposite. We have seen that the moon is the cause of the tides, and we have further seen that tides act as a brake to check the speed with which the earth is rotating. This is the action of the moon upon the earth, and now let us consider the reaction with which this action must be inevitably accompanied. In our ordinary experience we observe that a man who is annoyed by another feels an unregenerate impulse to push the annoying agent away as far as possible.

This is exactly the form which the reaction of the earth assumes. It is annoyed by the moon and accordingly it strives to push the moon away. Just as the moon by its action on the earth through the medium of the tides tends to check the speed with which the earth is rotating on its axis, so the earth reacts on the moon and compels the satellite to adopt a continuous retreat. The moon is, therefore, gradually receding. It is further from the earth today than it was yesterday; it will be further tomorrow than it is today. The process is never reversed; it never even ceases. The consequence is a continuous growth in the size of the track which the moon describes around the earth. It is quite true that this growth is a slow one; so, too, the growth of the oak is imperceptible from day to day, though in the lapse of centuries the tree attains a magnificent stature. The enlargement of the moon's orbit, though imperceptible from month to month, or even from century to century, has revolutionized our system in the lapse of many millions of years.

Looking back through the mists of time we see the moon ever drawing nearer and nearer to the earth. Our satellite now revolves at a distance of 240,000 miles, but there was a time when that distance was no more than 200,000 miles. There was a time, millions of years ago, no doubt, when the moon was but 100,000 miles away, and as we look further and further back we see the moon ever drawing closer and closer to the earth, until at last we discern the critical period in earth-moon history when our globe was spinning round in a period of about five or six hours. The moon, instead of revolving where we now find it, was then actually close to the earth; earlier still it was, in fact, touching our globe, and the moon and the earth were each revolving around the other, like a foot ball and a tennis ball actually fastened together.

It is impossible to resist taking one step further. We know that the earth was, at that early period, a soft molten mass of matter, spinning round rapidly. The speed seems to have been so great that a rupture took place, a portion of the molten matter broke away from parent globe and the fragment coalesced into small globe. That the moon was thus born of our earth uncounted millions of years ago is the lesson which mathematics declares it learns from the murmur of the tides.

From ostriches to worms, from birds of the air to fish of the sea, the farming instinct and ability of this country's citizens to turn every one of its advantages to account has given the United States a reputation for unique farms unequaled by any other country on the face of the globe.

A partial list of these odd cultivations comprises goldfish, pigeons, for culinary purposes exclusively, worms, ostriches, ginseng, mushrooms and gladioluses, and most of them carry the monopoly of the world's trade.

The goldfish farm near Waldron, Ind., was the result of one man's hobby for pet fish and the disinclination of his ground to yield a profitable income. William Shoup, the owner, tried first to farm his land in the accustomed way of tilling the soil. The result he considered not worth the work involved. Pet stock claimed his attention and he gave up his extensive acres to rearing them. In one small pond he kept his goldfish until he found that they were multiplying so quickly as to crowd each other out of their preserves.

In order to get rid of them he sent to the east to find a sale for his superfluous fish. Mr. Shoup's especial hobby in his love for pets has always been goldfish, and as his were among the finest specimens to be had anywhere, he received a prompt request for more until he decided that it would be worth while to devote additional farming space to his fish.

So from a mere pastime sprang the biggest goldfish industry in the world. At a rough calculation, out of his 150,000 fish, this goldfish farmer realizes every year about $20,000.

Worm farming is the strange hobby of another man, William Griswold, a public official in St. Louis. His whole farm is encompassed in two good sized packing boxes, yet despite its limited accommodations it counts about 10,000 "head" of stock.

In order to be ever ready for the sport on a minute's notice, Mr. Griswold conceived the idea of cultivating his own bait instead of having to grub for it as occasion demanded.

The tenants of this stock farm are earth-worms, not a strange or rare breed, but the ordinary, common, every day, wriggling earthworm. There are four species—black, red, sulphur and blue clay worms. They are divided into classes, according to their kind, and carefully nursed in separate inclosures.

Pigeons form a means of revenue for a Los Angeles man who found that to meet the demand of dealers and satisfy the appetite of the public he must raise at least 15,000 of the little feathered creatures every year. Fifteen thousand little white and gray pigeons, called squabs in the vernacular of the produce market, go out to all parts of the United States from this farm, for Mr. T. Y. Johnson, the owner, has no rival in the country.

His farm, which is the only one in the world, covers an area of eight acres. Three gigantic lofts contain almost 10,000 rooms.

The menu for each meal is: One wagon load of screenings, two sacks of wheat, twelve gallons of boiled meat, and about a half a barrel of stale bread soaked in water. This costs on an average of $300 a month.

At South Pasadena, Cal., lives Edwin Cawston, whose fame as an ostrich breeder is world wide. His

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KNOWING HOW.

Ever hear of the plumber who charged $25.50 for doing a job that required only a few minutes' time? He said the fifty cents was for doing the work, and the twenty-five dollars was for "knowing how."

Queen Quality

BOOTS $3.

OXFORDS $2.50

THE FAMOUS SHOE FOR WOMEN

THE MAKERS OF QUEEN QUALITY SHOES DON'T CHARGE FOR THE "KNOWING HOW." THEY "KNOW HOW" TO MAKE A BETTER FITTING SHOE THAN ANY EVER KNOWN. THEY KNOW HOW TO PUT GRACE AND BEAUTY INTO QUEEN QUALITY SHOES TO SUCH A DEGREE THAT THEY'VE COME TO BE RECOGNIZED AS THE ORIGINATORS OF SHOE FASHION.

WOMEN WHO ADOPT QUEEN QUALITY SHOES HAVE NO MORE FOOT TROUBLES. THEY'RE EASY FROM THE FIRST.

BOOTS . . . $3.00.
OXFORDS . . . $2.50.

WE HAVE AN EXPERT SHOE MAN AND WOULD BE GLAD TO DEMONSTRATE HOW WELL QUEEN QUALITY SHOES FIT AND WEAR.

The People's Store.

SOLE AGENTS.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Eric Crull is in Indianapolis the guest of her sister.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoffman, of Force street—a son.

Attorney Frank Emrick has gone to Dayton, O., on business.

G. L. McCoy, jr., has gone to Pittsburg to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Worden are spending a few days in Winona.

Senator S. B. Fleming leaves this evening for Philadelphia on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Steipel, of South Lafayette street—a son.

Miss Hoagland, of Indianapolis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Fleming.

Mrs. Harry Stark gave a card party last evening in honor of Miss Louise Heller.

E. H. Coombs left yesterday for Old Point Comfort to join Mrs. Coombs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barnes, of Springfield, are visiting friends in the city.

Messrs. Charles Weinkler and Bert Jay are spending a few days fishing in the Kankakee river.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Farra, of Lexington, Ky., are guests of their son, James Farra, for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Leslie will be at home to friends Wednesdays in June at 435 West Berry street.

The Misses Mattie and Gertrude Kelker have gone to Chicago to attend the wedding of a relative.

Mrs. Zollinger and daughter, Mary, of Indianapolis, will arrive in the city next week to spend a month.

Mrs. J. M. Barrett gave a luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. J. F. R. Evans. The table was trimmed with pink roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Sturgeon leave soon for Philadelphia, to reside, Mr. Sturgeon having been transferred by the General Electric company.

W. W. Smith, one of the pioneer residents of the county, is critically ill at his home in Marion township. He is the father of Attorney H. I. Smith.

The dance given last evening in the Anthony Wayne club by the members of the Colonial club, was a very delightful affair and a large number of guests were present. Reineke's orchestra played.

Miss Agnes Seabrease entertained the Friday Pedro club yesterday afternoon, and was assisted by Mrs. E. H. Olds and Miss Julia Smyser. Miss Knight and Mrs. Peter Pickard won the club prizes and Miss Rurode the visitors' prize.

A birthday celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Lutze in St. Joe township, Wednesday, in celebration of the seventy-eighth anniversary of Mrs. Lutze's natal day. Games and other amusements were the principal features and a fine supper was served.

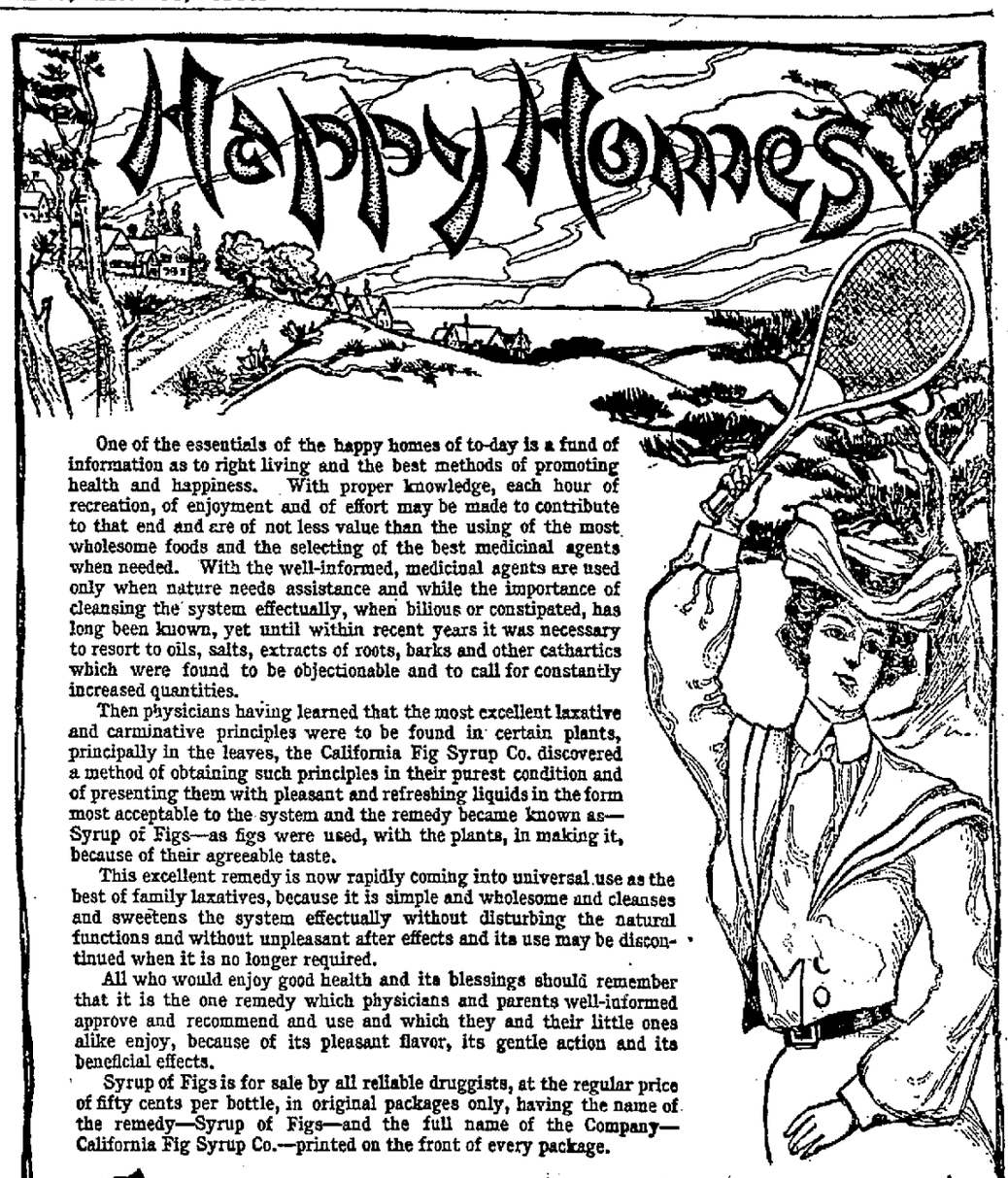
Mrs. Herman Hobrock gave a children's party yesterday afternoon for her twin children, Frank and Marie, in celebration of their fifth birthday anniversary. Supper was served on the lawn. The guests received as souvenirs baskets of pink crepe paper filled with candy.

AT THE NEW STORE.

Mr. Adolph Schulte has accepted the position as head salesman for Soliday, Hite & Co. of the New Store. He is now filling the position that was made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Louis P. Scherer. He has been a resident of the city for the past twenty-two years. He came here to assume the general overseeing of the paint department of the Olds Wagon Works.

Mr. Schulte is well known and has a host of friends. For seven years he was deputy in the treasurer's office and was given the nomination in the recent county democratic convention for the position of treasurer, and made a strong showing in the election, going down in the change of the political complexion of the county.

It is the desire of Mr. Schulte to meet all his old friends at the New Store, where he will be glad at all times to show them over one of the prettiest stores in Indiana. d&w



One of the essentials of the happy homes of to-day is a fund of information as to right living and the best methods of promoting health and happiness. With proper knowledge, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and are of not less value than the using of the most wholesome foods and the selecting of the best medicinal agents when needed. With the well-informed, medicinal agents are used only when nature needs assistance and while the importance of cleansing the system effectually, when bilious or constipated, has long been known, yet until within recent years it was necessary to resort to oils, salts, extracts of roots, barks and other cathartics which were found to be objectionable and to call for constantly increased quantities.

Then physicians having learned that the most excellent laxative and carminative principles were to be found in certain plants, principally in the leaves, the California Fig Syrup Co. discovered a method of obtaining such principles in their purest condition and of presenting them with pleasant and refreshing liquids in the form most acceptable to the system and the remedy became known as—Syrup of Figs—as figs were used, with the plants, in making it, because of their agreeable taste.

This excellent remedy is now rapidly coming into universal use as the best of family laxatives, because it is simple and wholesome and cleanses and sweetens the system effectually without disturbing the natural functions and without unpleasant after effects and its use may be discontinued when it is no longer required.

All who would enjoy good health and its blessings should remember that it is the one remedy which physicians and parents well-informed approve and recommend and use and which they and their little ones alike enjoy, because of its pleasant flavor, its gentle action and its beneficial effects.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all reliable druggists, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, in original packages only, having the name of the remedy—Syrup of Figs—and the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

Louisville, Ky. San Francisco, Cal. New York, N. Y.

ROME CITY SUNDAY SPECIAL

Leaves Fort Wayne at 6:00 a. m. and returning leaves Rome City at 7:00 p. m. 50c round trip. 1-eod

Boys Wanted -- Apply at Wayne Knitting Mills. 14-16

THE SENTINEL'S NEW PUZZLE DEPARTMENT.

Below we print ten pictures, each representing the nameof a fruit. The first is Date, Now guess the rest. In return for your skill in solving the puzzles we will give $5.00 in Cash, divided as follows: For the first correct solution received a cash prize of $2.50; for the second, $1.00; for the third, 75 cents; for the fourth, 50 cents; for the fifth, 25 cents.

SPECIAL WARNING:

Inclose nothing in your envelope but the slip cut from this advertisement. Do not write on separate slips. Do not send answers sooner than date given. If you violate these conditions your answer will be thrown out.

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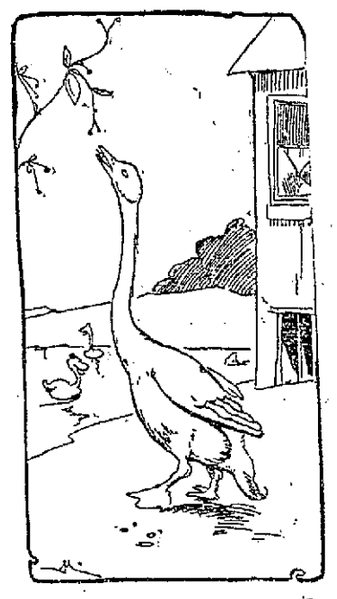

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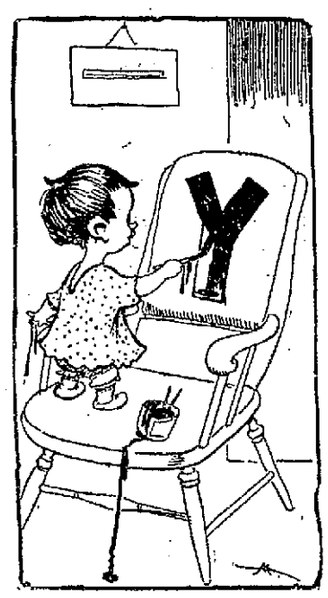

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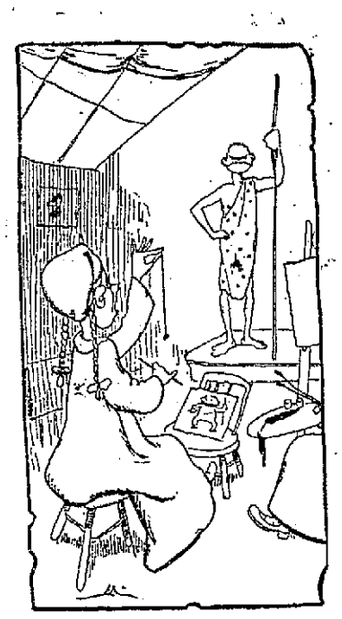

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SIX.

SEVEN.

(COUPON.)

USE NO OTHER SLIP THAN THIS

Put only one guess on each line and say no more. Then cut this coupon out and MAIL it to

THE PUZZLE EDITOR OF THE SENTINEL,
114 West Wayne Street, Fort Wayne, Ind.

No. 1.....No. 6.....

No. 2.....No. 7.....

No. 3.....No. 8.....

No. 4.....No. 9.....

No. 5.....No. 10.....

Give Full Name and Address Here:

Name .....

Address .....

Street and Number .....

EIGHT.

NINE.

TEN.

SOLUTION OF PUZZLE

Names of Insects.

No. 1—BEETLE.

No. 2—BUTTERFLY.

No. 3—DRAGON FLY.

No. 4—CATERPILLAR.

No. 5—GNAT.

No. 6—HORNET.

No. 7—KATYDID.

No. 8—MOSQUITO.

No. 9—SPIDER.

No. 10—WOODTICK.

PRIZE WINNERS:

First Prize, $2.50—W. H. Wiebke, 266 Beaver avenue.

Second prize, $1.00—James Blaine Byers, 918 Van Buren street.

Third Prize, 75 cents—Mrs. Annie I. Tower, 2535 Webster street.

Fourth Prize, 50 cents—John Heiny, 418 East Wayne street.

Fifth Prize, 25 cents—Robert Vincent Douglas, 128 West Lewis street.

Look for next week's issue—10 more Puzzles.

Let everybody send in a solution.

READ THESE POSITIVE DIRECTIONS:

When you settle on the name that you think each picture represents, write it on the line after the same number as the picture on this page, AND USE ONLY THE COUPON CUT FROM THIS PAPER. NO OTHER WILL BE CONSIDERED. Send as many different sets as you like, but each must be on a separate coupon cut from "The Sentinel's Puzzle Department," mailing each separately. Mail your letter so that it will reach The Sentinel office not earlier than May 20, and not later than Friday, May 22.

The correct solution of this week's puzzles, together with the names of the successful contestants will be announced next Saturday. All answers must be received by mail—no other answers will be considered.

NEXT WEEK TEN MORE PUZZLES

NOTICE

DAMAGED
OR
MISSING TEXT

$31,000.00 for street lights. That contract was for five years from the 1st of July, 1899, and will, therefore, expire on the 1st of July, 1904. The contract recited that at that time there were 268 electric lamps in use. The lighting company agreed to maintain ten additional lamps in the parks without cost, and fifteen additional lights at $2.00 per lamp per year.

It will thus be seen that from 1884 to 1885 the city paid per light, $110.00.

From 1885 to 1888, per light, $135.00.

From 1888 to 1891, per light, $135.00.

were not to be less than 700 in number. They are now 324. There were 238 in 1898, when the last contract was entered into. Without stopping to get the exact number of lights maintained each year, I think it would be fair to assume that they have averaged 240. If I am correct in that, then the city has been paying each year $11,170.40 more for its street lights than it would have paid if its contracts had been the same per light as the other contracts in the Indiana cities mentioned in the report referred to. If we leave out the first contract, from 1884 to 1885, the lighting company has been furnishing light for the city street lights eighteen years. During

cities are charging private consumers as follows:

Indianapolis..	10	cents 1000 watts
Laporte	12	cents 1000 watts
South Bend ..	13½	cents 1000 watts
Lafayette ...	10	cents 1000 watts
Valparaiso ...	10	cents 1000 watts
Lima, Ohio ..	12	cents 1000 watts

The average in these six cities to private consumers is 11¼ cents per 1,000 watts. It thus appears that the people of Fort Wayne, including the city, except for street lights, are paying 25 per cent. more to our company than the people of the other six cities named are paying to the companies in those cities.

In a communication by Mr. White, the principal owner of the stock of [illegible] works on Jan. 6th, 1902, he stated that the gross income of the Jenney Light and Power company was more than $100,000 per annum. The city records show that for the year 1901 the city paid $29,100.02 for street lights. That deducted from the $100,000 income (if that was all of the income) leaves $70,899 which the people paid to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, aside from the street lights. Twenty-five per cent. of that amount—

[illegible] islands of the [illegible] paid in that year to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, more than they would have paid if the rates here had been the same as in the six cities named.

As before stated, the Jenney Electric Light and Power company has had contracts with the city for the last nineteen years. We cannot tell for how many of those years its gross receipts have been a hundred thousand dollars. If we assume that they have been such for ten years, then the people have paid to that company in that time, $177,249.95 more than they would have paid if we had had the rates charged in the six cities named. This leaves out of the consideration what the gross collections may have been for the other nine years during which the lighting company has had contracts. Thus we have $201,067.20 lost to the city, and $177,249.95 lost to the people, making a total of $378,317.15, which the people have contributed to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company more than they would have paid if the charges of that company in Fort Wayne had been the same as the charges of like companies in the other cities named. There is no reason why the rates here should have been higher than in the other cities, and therefore this sum of $378,317.15 has been a donation by the people of Fort Wayne to the few gentlemen who have owned the stock of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company.

HOW OBTAINED.

This vast sum has been obtained from the people by the same methods that are attempted now to have the exorbitant rates continued to the new Fort Wayne Electric Light and Power company, namely, upon the plea that the people ought to help the electric works, and that there was a possible danger of the works leaving the city unless this help was extended. At the time when one of the later contracts was obtained, two or three of the gentlemen representing the lighting company, made a public pledge to the common council that if the contract should be awarded, the electric works should never be removed from Fort Wayne. The contract was granted largely upon that statement. At the time, when one of the contracts was being asked for by the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, that company was attempting to get a contract with Indianapolis at less than $65 per light. It was at that time that the somewhat famous dispatch was sent to Indianapolis to "sugar the councilmen." And now we are

other contract is necessary to help the works and possibly to keep them here, and as before stated, this is not accompanied with any promise or agreement on the part of the General Electric company or Electric works, that the works shall remain here during the life of the proposed contract or the proposed franchise.

William J. Hosey.

THE X-RAYS.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-rays, established it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodal Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by Meyer Bros. Co.

REV. MAHIN CANNOT COME.

Rev. Milton Mahin, the venerable M. E. minister, who was expected to participate in the closing services at the old Berry street church edifice tomorrow, will be unable to be present on account of the illness of his wife. Rev. Mahin is the oldest minister in the North Indiana conference, and is now living in quiet retirement at New Castle, Ind. He was pastor of Berry street M. E. church in 1850, and is a brother of the late A. E. Mahin, who died in this city a year ago.

A LESSON IN HEALTH.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

HOME FROM COLLEGE.

Messrs. Horace Muhler, John Sullivan, Lawrence Monahan, Paul Welch and Michael Shea, who have been attending St. Joseph's college at Rensselaer, arrived home this morning from that institution for their summer vacation.

You never heard of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

Lake Maxinkuckee has been restocked with wall-eyed pike.

James B. Evans, a Bluffton nurseryman, has filed a petition in bankruptcy.

Supt. H. S. Hippensteel, of the North Manchester schools, has resigned.

David Allen Quick, seventy-eight years of age, died at Columbia City, from paralysis.

George Shanower, eighty-seven years of age, was found dead in bed at his home near Wolcottville a few days ago.

Rural mail carriers in Steuben county have formed an association, electing A. Mundy, of Fremont, president.

Rev. W. D. Parr, formerly of Fort Wayne, has purchased the Home hotel property at Kokomo and will erect a business block upon the site.

The home of Gaspard Bresseur, at Hartford City, was wrecked by a fire, the family narrowly escaping suffocation. Albert Bresseur was unconscious when carried out. The loss is $3,500, with $1,100 insurance.

Peter Evans, of Warsaw, is now serving his 177th jail sentence for drunkenness. It is said Evans has spent one-third of his time during the past twenty years serving sentences for intoxication.

William Redden's sawmill, located a few miles west of Ligonier, was totally destroyed by fire Friday, the loss being over $3,000. There was no insurance. The fire is believed to have caught from the fire beneath the boiler.

It is reported that the number of vacant houses in Andrews, which was large when the Wabash left the town, has now become so small as to be practically nothing. The town has built itself up with factories and general hustling.

David Garr, fifty years of age and formerly a resident of Pierceton, died a few days ago alone and friendless in Montana. The body was shipped to Pierceton for burial, but was lost in transit and did not reach that place in time for the funeral, but the services were held, nevertheless.

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EXTRAORDINARY SALES OF CARPETS!

Never in the history of our great store have we had such a rush on Carpets as this year. We have on display the cream of the market in all the Leading Makes. As to prices, we simply say: "Get the lowest quotation any other merchant in Fort Wayne is willing to give you and if we cannot beat it, we will not ask you to buy of us."

Foster Furniture & Carpet Company.

KNOWING HOW.

Ever hear of the plumber who charged $25.50 for doing a job that required only a few minutes' time? He said the fifty cents was for doing the work, and the twenty-five dollars was for "knowing how."

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BOOTS $3.

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The People's Store.

SOLE AGENTS.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Eric Crull is in Indianapolis the guest of her sister.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoffman, of Force street—a son.

Attorney Frank Emrick has gone to Dayton, O., on business.

G. L. McCoy, jr., has gone to Pittsburg to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Worden are spending a few days in Winona.

Senator S. B. Fleming leaves this evening for Philadelphia on business.

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Miss Hoagland, of Indianapolis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Fleming.

Mrs. Harry Stark gave a card party last evening in honor of Miss Louise Heller.

E. H. Coombs left yesterday for Old Point Comfort to join Mrs. Coombs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barnes, of Springfield, are visiting friends in the city.

Messrs. Charles Weinkler and Bert Jay are spending a few days fishing in the Kankakee river.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Farra, of Lexington, Ky., are guests of their son, James Farra, for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Leslie will be at home to friends Wednesdays in June at 435 West Berry street.

The Misses Mattie and Gertrude Kelker have gone to Chicago to attend the wedding of a relative.

Mrs. Zollinger and daughter, Mary, of Indianapolis, will arrive in the city next week to spend a month.

Mrs. J. M. Barrett gave a luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. J. F. R. Evans. The table was trimmed with pink roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Sturgeon leave soon for Philadelphia, to reside, Mr. Sturgeon having been transferred by the General Electric company.

W. W. Smith, one of the pioneer residents of the county, is critically ill at his home in Marion township. He is the father of Attorney H. I. Smith.

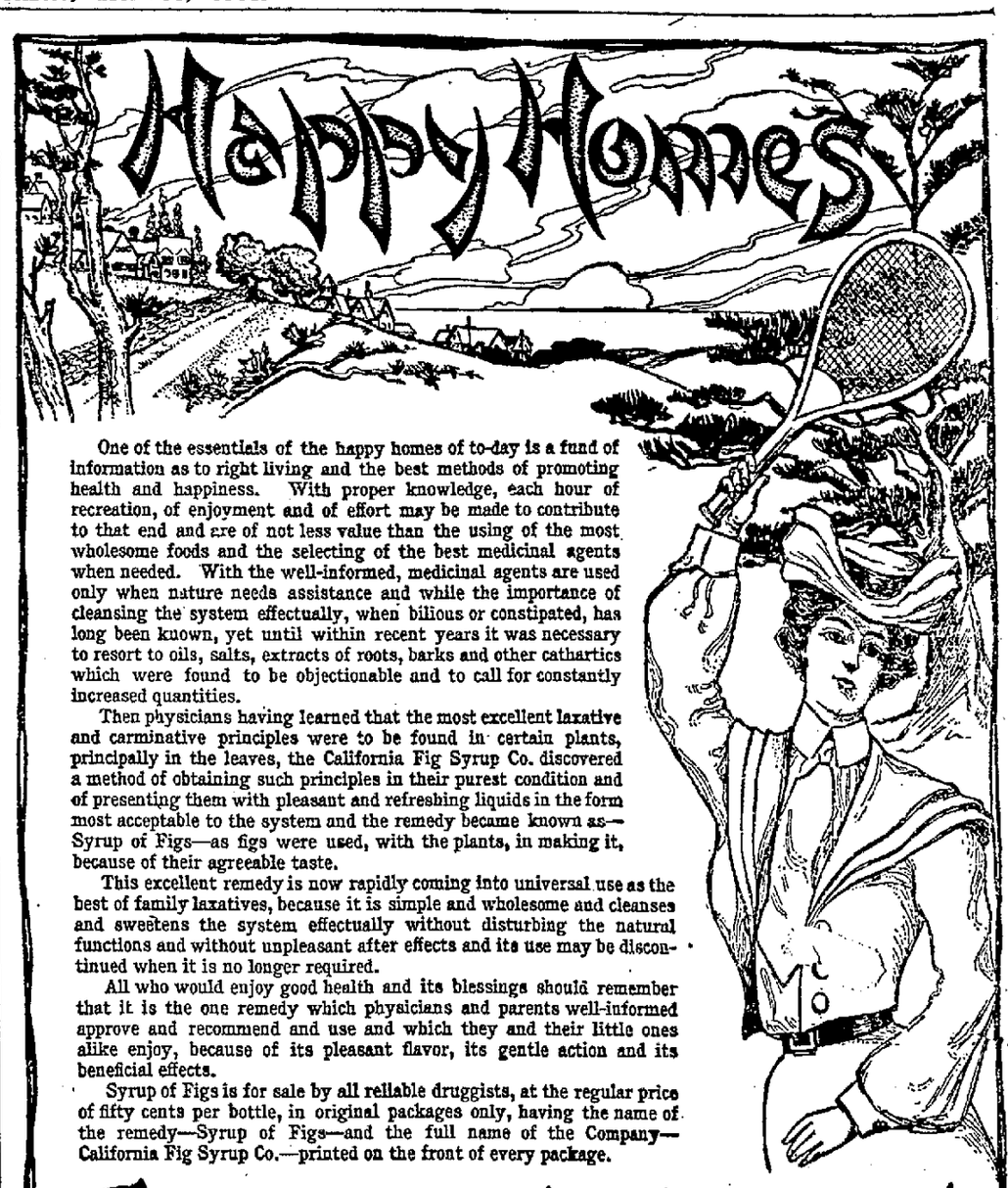
The dance given last evening in the Anthony Wayne club by the members of the Colonial club, was a very delightful affair and a large number of guests were present. Reineke's orchestra played.

Miss Agnes Seabrease entertained the Friday Pedro club yesterday afternoon, and was assisted by Mrs. E. H. Olds and Miss Julia Smyser. Miss Knight and Mrs. Peter Pickard won the club prizes and Miss Rurode the visitors' prize.

A birthday celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Lutze in St. Joe township, Wednesday, in celebration of the seventy-eighth anniversary of Mrs. Lutze's natal day. Games and other amusements were the principal features and a fine supper was served.

Mrs. Herman Hobrock gave a children's party yesterday afternoon for her twin children, Frank and Marie, in celebration of their fifth birthday anniversary. Supper was served on the lawn. The guests received as souvenirs baskets of pink crepe paper filled with candy.

Happy Homes



One of the essentials of the happy homes of to-day is a fund of information as to right living and the best methods of promoting health and happiness. With proper knowledge, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and are of not less value than the using of the most wholesome foods and the selecting of the best medicinal agents when needed. With the well-informed, medicinal agents are used only when nature needs assistance and while the importance of cleansing the system effectually, when bilious or constipated, has long been known, yet until within recent years it was necessary to resort to oils, salts, extracts of roots, barks and other cathartics which were found to be objectionable and to call for constantly increased quantities.

Then physicians having learned that the most excellent laxative and carminative principles were to be found in certain plants, principally in the leaves, the California Fig Syrup Co. discovered a method of obtaining such principles in their purest condition and of presenting them with pleasant and refreshing liquids in the form most acceptable to the system and the remedy became known as—Syrup of Figs—as figs were used, with the plants, in making it, because of their agreeable taste.

This excellent remedy is now rapidly coming into universal use as the best of family laxatives, because it is simple and wholesome and cleanses and sweetens the system effectually without disturbing the natural functions and without unpleasant after effects and its use may be discontinued when it is no longer required.

All who would enjoy good health and its blessings should remember that it is the one remedy which physicians and parents well-informed approve and recommend and use and which they and their little ones alike enjoy, because of its pleasant flavor, its gentle action and its beneficial effects.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all reliable druggists, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, in original packages only, having the name of the remedy—Syrup of Figs—and the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

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AT THE NEW STORE.

Mr. Adolph Schulte has accepted the position as head salesman for Solliday, Hite & Co. of the New Store. He is now filling the position that was made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Louis P. Scherer. He has been a resident of the city for the past twenty-two years. He came here to assume the general overseeing of the paint department of the Olds Wagon Works.

Mr. Schulte is well known and has a host of friends. For seven years he was deputy in the treasurer's office and was given the nomination in the recent county democratic convention for the position of treasurer, and made a strong showing in the election, going down in the change of the political complexion of the county.

It is the desire of Mr. Schulte to meet all his old friends at the New Store, where he will be glad at all times to show them over one of the prettiest stores in Indiana. d&w

ROME CITY SUNDAY SPECIAL

Leaves Fort Wayne at 6:00 a. m. and returning leaves Rome City at 7:00 p. m. 50c round trip. 1-eod

Boys Wanted -- Apply at Wayne Knitting Mills. 14-16

THE SENTINEL'S NEW PUZZLE DEPARTMENT.

Below we print ten pictures, each representing the nameof a fruit. The first is Date, Now guess the rest. In return for your skill in solving the puzzles we will give $5.00 in Cash, divided as follows: For the first correct solution received a cash prize of $2.50; for the second, $1.00; for the third, 75 cents; for the fourth, 50 cents; for the fifth, 25 cents.

SPECIAL WARNING:

Inclose nothing in your envelope but the slip cut from this advertisement. Do not write on separate slips. Do not send answers sooner than date given. If you violate these conditions your answer will be thrown out.

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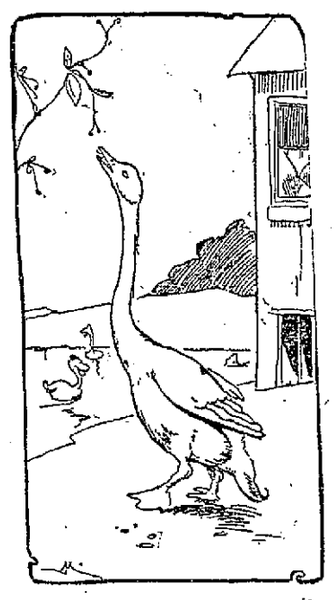

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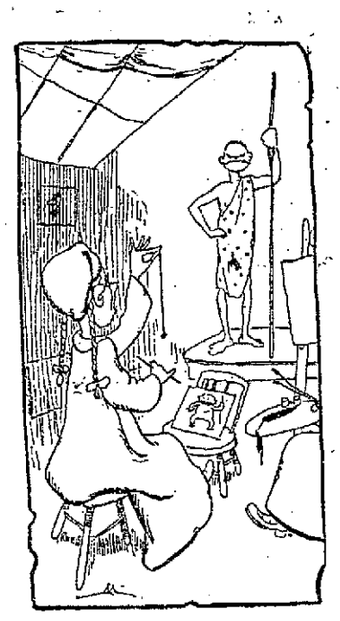

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Names of Insects.

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No. 4—CATERPILLAR.

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No. 6—HORNET.

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No. 8—MOSQUITO.

No. 9—SPIDER.

No. 10—WOODTICK.

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First Prize, $2.50—W. H. Wiebke, 266 Beaver avenue.

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Third Prize, 75 cents—Mrs. Annie I. Tower, 2535 Webster street.

Fourth Prize, 50 cents—John Heiny, 418 East Wayne street.

Fifth Prize, 25 cents—Robert Vincent Douglas, 128 West Lewis street.

Look for next week's issue—10 more Puzzles.

Let everybody send in a solution.

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The correct solution of this week's puzzles, together with the names of the successful contestants will be announced next Saturday. All answers must be received by mail—no other answers will be considered.

NEXT WEEK TEN MORE PUZZLES

ELECTRIC LIGHTS--W. J. HOSEY TELLS OF FORT WAYNE'S EXPERIENCE AND WHAT IT HAS COST

Editor of The Sentinel: The plea of assisting the Electric works and the danger of their removal was commenced about eighteen years ago. Upon that claim the city in 1884 entered into a contract to pay the Jenney Electric Light company $110.00 per annum for each street light.

In July, 1885, the city entered into a contract with the Jenney Electric Light and Power company to pay to that company $150.00 for each street light, less a discount of 10 per cent if paid monthly, making the net amount to be paid for each light $135.00 per year. It was provided that the lights should not be less than 100, and that the contract should extend for three years.

In March, 1886, the city entered into another contract for $150.00 for each light with a like provision for discount, making the net amount paid for each light $135.00. It was further provided that the lighting company would maintain the towers then in use, and that there should be not less than five lights in each tower. The contract was for three years from July 1, 1888.

In June, 1891, the city entered into another contract with the lighting company for $125.00 net for each light, the number not to be less than then in use, and the lights in each tower not to be less than five. That contract was for three years from July 1, 1891.

In June, 1894, another contract was entered into for $120.00 per light. That contract was for five years and provided that the lights should not be less than then in use and that the lights upon the towers should not be less than five each. In that contract the company agreed to maintain, free, four lights in the park, from May 1 to October 1.

In August, 1898, the city entered into a new contract with the lighting company in which it agreed to pay to the company $120.00 per light, with a reduction of $20.00 if paid monthly, making the net amount for each light $100.00. A report of a council committee made in May, 1898, showed that the city was then paying to the lighting company $31,000.00 for street lights. That contract was for five years from the 1st of July, 1899, and will, therefore, expire on the 1st of July, 1904. The contract recited that at that time there were 268 electric lamps in use. The lighting company agreed to maintain ten additional lamps in the parks without cost, and fifteen additional lights at $2.00 per lamp per year.

It will thus be seen that from 1884 to 1885 the city paid per light, $110.00.

From 1885 to 1888, per light, $135.00.

From 1888 to 1891, per light, $135.00.

From 1891 to 1894, per light, $125.00.

From 1894 to 1899, per light, $120.00.

From 1899 to the present time, per light, $100.00, or, deducting ten free lights, and the fifteen lights at $2.00 apiece, the city has been paying $95.00 per lamp since July, 1899.

During all this time the city has been paying for the lights upon the towers at the same rate, and it has been stipulated that there should not be less than five lights upon each tower. At $135.00 per light, the lighting of each tower has cost the city $675.00 per year. The average amount paid by the city from 1884 to the present time, with the deductions above made, is $120.00 per light, including the towers. On that average the city has paid for the lighting of each tower $600.00 per year. All of the lights have been furnished upon the Philadelphia schedule. They have not been all night lights.

On the 28th of June, 1898, a committee of five of the common council, appointed to investigate and report facts in relation to the cost of electric lights elsewhere, reported a list of contracts in other cities of the country. Their investigation and report covered Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and Illinois. These contracts included all night lights, dark hour lights, and lights upon the Philadelphia schedule. There were seventeen of them in Indiana. The average amount paid by the different cities named, including, as already stated, all night lights, was $75.05. In that same list the committee named nine cities in Indiana which were lighted on the Philadelphia schedule, the same as Fort Wayne, and the average amount paid per light in those cities to private companies was $71.79.

It thus appears that, while this city has been paying to a private company $120 per light, the other nine cities named in Indiana have been paying on an average of $71.79 per light. Fort Wayne has thus been paying $48.21 per light more than the other cities named in Indiana have been paying to private companies. When we first commenced, in 1884 and 1885, the lights were not to be less than 100 in number. They are now 324. There were 268 in 1898, when the last contract was entered into. Without stopping to get the exact number of lights maintained each year, I think it would be fair to assume that they have averaged 240. If I am correct in that, then the city has been paying each year $11,170.40 more for its street lights than it would have paid if its contracts had been the same per light as the other contracts in the Indiana cities mentioned in the report referred to. If we leave out the first contract, from 1884 to 1885, the lighting company has been furnishing light for the city street lights eighteen years. During those eighteen years the city has, upon that basis, paid to the lighting company for street lights $201,067.20 more than it would have paid if it had had contracts at the same rate that the nine other Indiana cities named had.

During the last nine years, from May 1st, 1894, to May 1st, 190... the amount for April, estimated upon the basis of the payment for March, the city has and will have paid to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company for street lights $262,912.18. From May 1st, 189... to January 1st, 1903, the city paid for lighting the city building $... 666.09. The bill for lighting the city building for January, 1903, was $66.50. I have not examined the records, but if the same amount has been or is to be paid for February, March and April, it will amount to $354. We shall then have the grand total paid by the city to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company for lighting the streets and the city building, from May 1st, 1894, to May 1st, 1903, the total sum of $266,919.27. If the city had owned an electric lighting plant and managed it as it has managed the waterworks, it is fair to assume that this large sum might have been saved to the city, as the revenues from private consumers would have been sufficient to operate the plant and make the necessary repairs.

If I should single out cases, as has been done by the promoters of the proposed new contract, I might cite the following cities, with the amounts paid to private companies per street light, on the Philadelphia schedule:

Xenia, Ohio	$54
Youngstown, Ohio	64
Kent, Ohio	60
Lafayette, Ind.	60
Laporte, Ind.	60
Valparaiso	66

Upon the basis of these charges the loss has been much larger than above stated.

CHARGE TO PRIVATE CONSUMERS.

During all these years there has been no limitation at all put up on the lighting company as to what it might charge private consumers, nor as to what it might charge the city other than for street lights. At the present time the Jenney Electric Light and Power company is charging private consumers, including the city, aside from street lights, ... cents per 1,000 watts, with a reduction of 25 per cent. if paid by the 10th of each month, thus leaving a net charge of 15 cents per 1,... watts.

At the present time the private lighting plants in the following cities are charging private consumers as follows:

Indianapolis	10	cents 1000 watts
Laporte	12	cents 1000 watts
South Bend	13½	cents 1000 watts
Lafayette	10	cents 1000 watts
Valparaiso	10	cents 1000 watts
Lima, Ohio	12	cents 1000 watts

The average in these six cities to private consumers is 11¼ cents per 1,000 watts. It thus appears that the people of Fort Wayne, including the city, except for street lights, are paying 25 per cent. more to our company than the people of the other six cities named are paying to the companies in those cities.

In a communication by Mr. White, the principal owner of the stock of ... works on Jan. 6th, 1902, he stated that the gross income of the Jenney Light and Power company was more than $100,000 per annum. The city records show that for the year 1901 the city paid $29,100.02 for street lights. That deducted from the $100,000 income (if that was all of the income) leaves $70,899 which the people paid to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, aside from the street lights. Twenty-five per cent. of that amount... paid in that year to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, more than they would have paid if the rates here had been the same as in the six cities named.

As before stated, the Jenney Electric Light and Power company has had contracts with the city for the last nineteen years. We cannot tell for how many of those years its gross receipts have been a hundred thousand dollars. If we assume that they have been such for ten years, then the people have paid to that company in that time, $177,249.95 more than they would have paid if we had had the rates charged in the six cities named. This leaves out of the consideration what the gross collections may have been for the other nine years during which the lighting company has had contracts. Thus we have $201,067.20 lost to the city, and $177,249.95 lost to the people, making a total of $378,317.15, which the people have contributed to the Jenney Electric Light and Power company more than they would have paid if the charges of that company in Fort Wayne had been the same as the charges of like companies in the other cities named. There is no reason why the rates here should have been higher than in the other cities, and therefore this sum of $378,317.15 has been a donation by the people of Fort Wayne to the few gentlemen who have owned the stock of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company.

HOW OBTAINED.

This vast sum has been obtained from the people by the same methods that are attempted now to have the exorbitant rates continued to the new Fort Wayne Electric Light and Power company, namely, upon the plea that the people ought to help the electric works, and that there was a possible danger of the works leaving the city unless this help was extended. At the time when one of the later contracts was obtained, two or three of the gentlemen representing the lighting company, made a public pledge to the common council that if the contract should be awarded, the electric works should never be removed from Fort Wayne. The contract was granted largely upon that statement. At the time, when one of the contracts was being asked for by the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, that company was attempting to get a contract with Indianapolis at less than $65 per light. It was at that time that the somewhat famous dispatch was sent to Indianapolis to "sugar the councilmen." And now we are ... other contract is necessary to help the works and possibly to keep them here, and as before stated, this is not accompanied with any promise or agreement on the part of the General Electric company or Electric works, that the works shall remain here during the life of the proposed contract or the proposed franchise.

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THE X-RAYS.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-rays, established it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodal Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by Meyer Bros. Co.

REV. MAHIN CANNOT COME.

Rev. Milton Mahin, the venerable M. E. minister, who was expected to participate in the closing services at the old Berry street church edifice tomorrow, will be unable to be present on account of the illness of his wife. Rev. Mahin is the oldest minister in the North Indiana conference, and is now living in quiet retirement at New Castle, Ind. He was pastor of Berry street M. E. church in 1850, and is a brother of the late A. E. Mahin, who died in this city a year ago.

A LESSON IN HEALTH.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

HOME FROM COLLEGE.

Messrs. Horace Muhler, John Sullivan, Lawrence Monahan, Paul Welch and Michael Shea, who have been attending St. Joseph's college at Rensselaer, arrived home this morning from that institution for their summer vacation.

You never heard of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

Lake Maxinkuckee has been restocked with wall-eyed pike.

James B. Evans, a Bluffton nurseryman, has filed a petition in bankruptcy.

Supt. H. S. Hippensteel, of the North Manchester schools, has resigned.

David Allen Quick, seventy-eight years of age, died at Columbia City from paralysis.

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Rural mail carriers in Steuben county have formed an association, electing A. Mundy, of Fremont, president.

Rev. W. D. Parr, formerly of Fort Wayne, has purchased the Home hotel property at Kokomo and will erect a business block upon the site.

The home of Gaspard Bresseur, at Hartford City, was wrecked by a fire, the family narrowly escaping suffocation. Albert Bresseur was unconscious when carried out. The loss is $3,500, with $1,100 insurance.

Peter Evans, of Warsaw, is now serving his 177th jail sentence for drunkenness. It is said Evans has spent one-third of his time during the past twenty years serving sentences for intoxication.

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JON-SECTARIAN BIBLE CLASS.

All interested in the Watch Tower Bible and Tract society publications meet for Bible study at 917 Calhoun treet, Kimball hall, at 3 p. m.

RAILROAD Y. M. C. A.

Corner of Calhoun and Holman treets. At 3 p. m. the delegates will make report on the "Railroad Men's Conference" recently held at Topeka, Kan. Open meeting.

CURES ECZEMA, ITCHING HUMORS, PIMPLES AND CARBUNCLES.—COSTS NOTHING TO TRY.

B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is a certain and sure cure for eczema, itching skin, humors, scabs, scales, watery blisters, pimples, aching bones joints, boils, carbuncles, prickling pain in the skin, old eating sores, ulcers, etc. Botanc Blood Balm cures the worst and most deep-seated cases by enriching, purifying and vitalizing the blood, thereby giving a healthy blood supply to the kin. Heals every sore and gives he rich glow of health to the skin. uilds up the broken-down body id makes the blood red and nourhing. Especially advised for ronic, old cases that doctors, pat-t medicines and hot springs fail cure. Druggists, $1, with com-lete directions for home cure. To rove B. B. B. cures, samples sent ee and prepaid by writing Blood alm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe ouble and free medical advice sent sealed letter. Sold in Fort Wayne y Ranke & Nussbaum, 828 Calhoun reet.

DEFINITION OF TEETOTALISM.

Paying a visit of inspection one to a large English school, an inctor found a teacher exercising a ss in the subject of definitions. interrogation put to them seemed a moment a great puzzle. The estion was: "What is teetotalism?"

At last one tiny girl, whose pinch-face and shabby clothes bespoke d times at home, put up her hand d cried out: "I know, teacher!"

Both teacher and visitor felt lumps se in their throats as the answer me, in the thin, piping treble: "Teetotalism means bread and butter."

With tears welling in her eyes, the teacher said: "You must explain that."

And the small damsel promptly replied:

"Because when father's teetotal we get bread and butter, and when he is not we have to go without."

TRAVELING IS DANGEROUS.

Constant motion jars the kidneys, which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. E. Hausan, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

The vicar of Barton-on-Humber has adopted a device to shame certain members of his congregation who placed old and battered coins in the collections bags. These coins he hung up in the church, with the request that the donors should replace them with good money. This has now been done in one case, but four others await the repentance on the part of the givers.

NOT A SICK DAY SINCE.

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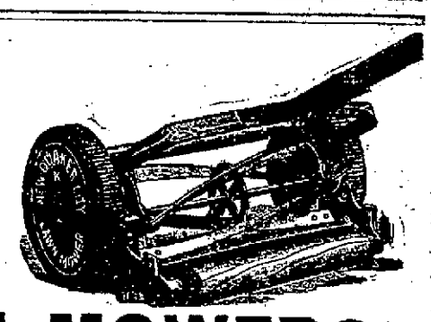

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Wayne street church, Asher S. Preston, pastor—Morning topic, "The Rent Veil;" evening topic, "Home;" Epworth league anniversary at 6:30, followed by public installation of officers; probationers will be received into full connection at the close of the morning service; meeting of the Oxford brotherhood Monday at 7:30 p. m.; woman's bible meeting Tuesday at 3 p. m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Simpson church, Harrison and Dawson streets, Rev. Jay C. Dorwin, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., James E. Graham, superintendent; morning service at 10:30; text, Luke 2:49; junior league at 2:30, Nina C. Dorwin, leader; 7 o'clock, Epworth league prayer service; at 7:30 the bi-centennial anniversary of John Wesley will be observed under the auspices of the Epworth league; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Trinity church, corner Fourth and Cass streets, Rev. David Wells, pastor—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., F. A. McMaken, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 a. m.: class meeting at 11:45 a. m.; junior league at 3 p. m., Mrs. Wells, superintendent; senior league at 7 p. m., led by Josiah Drewett; at 8 p. m. the Epworth league anniversary will be observed by rendering the official program, "The Wesley Succession;" missionary prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

St. Paul church—Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m., C. B. Waterson, superintendent; preaching, 10:30; subject, "The Glory of Young Men;" class meeting, 11:45, Dr. J. J. Ogle, leader; junior league, 2:30, Miss Patterson, superintendent; Epworth league, 6:30; anniversary services of Epworth league at 7:30; a lot of new hymnals have been purchased and will be used in the morning; prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:45.

FREE METHODIST.

church, 1320 East Creighton Rev. Robert H. Clark, pastor this church, services ... evening; sermon at night by Rev. Geo. B. Ranshaw, of Cincinnati, Ohio, assistant secretary American Missionary society; Wednesday night, mid-week services.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Plymouth church, Rev. J. Webster Bailey pastor. Morning service at 10:45; sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30, A. G. Burry, superintendent; Harry E. Willson, assistant. Junior Endeavor at 3 o'clock; Senior Endeavor at 5 o'clock. Afternoon service at 4 o'clock. Address by the pastor on "Just for Today." Wednesday evening, monthly missionary meeting, 7:45.

South church, corner West DeWald street and Hoagland avenue—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., P. C. Kantz, superintendent; preaching service at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Eberhart, of Dunkirk, Ind.; mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

REFORMED.

Salem church, next to postoffice, P. Ruhl, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; morning service and preaching at 10:30; evening service at 7:30. The evening service will be in English.

Grace church, East Washington street between Barr and Lafayette streets, Rev. A. K. Zartman, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; at 10:30, second sermon on Paul's Epistle to the Thessolonians; young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.; at 7:30 p. m. the pastor begins a series of sermons on 'The Home," the opening subject being "Our Boys;" there will be special music at this service; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

St. John's church, corner Washington boulevard and Webster street, John H. Bosch, pastor—9 a. m., Sunday school; 10:15 a. m., morning services and preaching; 7 p. m., prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., evening services and preaching; Wednesday evening, discussion and explanation of Sunday school lesson; Thursday, Ascension day, services at 10 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First church—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m., Floral hall, Flick building, 207-209 West Berry street—Subject, "Soul and Body;" golden text: "Will God indeed dwell on the earth? Behold, the heaven and heaven of heavens cannot contain thee; how

Sunday of the month, mission services on the third Sunday of the month; the ladies' society meets the last Sunday of the month after the morning service.

Trinity, corner of Huffman and Oakland streets, Rev. Paul Stoeppelwerth, pastor—Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

German Lutheran Zion's church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street, Rev. H. Chr. Luehr, pastor—Services, 10:00 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Evangelical Lutheran Concordia congregation, southwest corner of Fletcher and Alliger streets—Sunday services: Preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rev. August Lange, pastor.

St. Paul's, on Barr street, Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Emmaus Lutheran, Broadway and Creighton avenue, Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastor—Sunday services, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

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The following meetings are held Sunday in rotation during the month commencing at 4 o'clock: First Sunday, Married Men's Sodality and Young Men's Sodality; second Tuesday, Rosary Sodality; third Sunday, Young Ladies' Sodality; fourth Sunday, Boys' Sodality and Young Girls' Sodality. The Catholic Knights of America, branch 102, meets the first and third Sundays of each month. The Sacred Heart League has special devotions on the first Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's, corner of DeWald and Harrison streets, Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Thomas Mungovan, assistant. The services at the church are as follows: Mass at 7:45 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; high mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism at 2:15 p. m.; vespers at 3 p. m.; masses at 6:30 and 8 a. m. during week days.

Following is a list of the various societies of the church and the time of meeting: Married Men's and

HOME MISSION.

Home Mission, 118 East Columbia —Meeting every night at 7:45; Bible study on Sunday at 3 p. m.; subject, "Christians and Professors," and Tuesday at 7:45 p. m., Gen. 5-11, synthetic study; children's meeting Sunday at 4 p. m., in charge of Mrs. J. A. Quince.

Topic for May 17: The lad with the Loaves and Fishes. John, 6:9-13.

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LOCAL.

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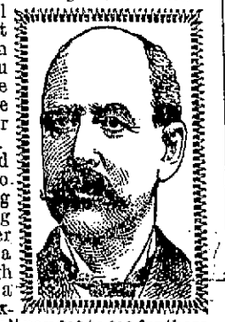

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THE TALMAGE SERMON

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In this sermon Rev. Talmage preaches on "The Advancing Generations." His text is from Exodus xiv., 15: "Speak unto the Children of Israel that they go Forward."

Napoleon Bonaparte, in some respects the greatest warrior of modern times, once declared: "There sometimes comes a crisis in a battle or campaign, when victory, as a bird, will hover over the standards of that general who has brains and grit enough to give the command, 'Forward, march!'" This was the way the French commander defeated the two great wings of the Austrian army at Montenotte and Ceva. This was the way he won his battles at Arcola and Marengo and Wagram. This was the way he tried to win Waterloo, when he commanded Marshal Ney to lead the Old Guard against the solid squares of the British infantry. And this was the way Moses, the great law-giver and soldier, led the children of Israel out of Egypt, over the sands and on through the Red Sea, and freed them from the onrushing charge of the pursuing Egyptians.

But the divine command given to the children of Israel "that they go forward," is applicable to the children of God at the present time. I believe we are at a crisis in the world's history. In 1890, my father preached a sermon, entitled, "Last Decade of the Century." By it he tried to show how easily the world could be brought to Christ within ten years, if every Christian would annually bring only one soul to Christ, and these new converts in turn would also individually bring one soul to Christ every following year. But today, I want to show that the world can be brought to Christ even in less time than that, if the Christian church will only realize its full opportunity, and grasp it. I want to show this, because I believe all the great preliminary battles have been fought and won which are necessary for this final triumph. As Concord, and Lexington, and Bunker Hill, and Princeton, and Saratoga had to precede the Yorktown surrender, so I would trace the great onward movements of the human race to show how we are fast approaching the golden milestone, where the world can be redeemed from sin. Then I would try to show how the Anglo-Saxon race, as a human agency, can take the chief part in this gladsome and world-wide triumph, if we will only move forward in God's name.

The first great battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when every man's fireside became his "City of Refuge," or his impregnable castle, from which no feudal lord or arbitary chieftain could dislodge him. It was won when a husband and a father could walk into his home and shut the door, and defy the great wide world, as he said: "These goods are mine. This wife is mine. These children are mine, and no man dare touch them." It was won when an honest man, no matter how humble he might be, had a right in fee simple to the property which his energy had earned, to the woman whom he had led to the marriage altar, and to the children who were born to them.

The right of a man to own his own home, and to have an exclusive claim over his wife and children, are recognized in every civilized land. We have all read the story of the "Miller and the Emperor." Frederick, the Great, wanted to enlarge his palace grounds. A miller owned a little patch of land near the royal domain. The king offered to buy it. The miller would not sell. The king offered three, four, five times the value of the property. The miller still refused. That land was to him above the value of money. It represented to him the home of his childhood and the home of his ancestors. "Then," said the king, "I will confiscate your land and take it forcibly from you." "Then," said the miller to the king, "I will go to law and compel you to give me back my property." The king was helpless. He knew that in Prussia the king might sit upon a throne, but there was a power greater than the king. That one was the law protecting the man entrenched behind the impregnable walls of his own home.

But this condition of individual rights of a man and of a family did not always exist in the human race. There was a time when the name of husband and wife did not mean what they do today. "There was a time," wrote Sir John Lubbock in his book, entitled, The Origin of Civilization, "when in many tribes the children took the name of the mother instead of the father, because the name of the father was never known." There was a time when, by the old feudal system, the corner-stone of society was not in the home of the laborer, but in the castled walls of the nearby ruling lord. The feudal lord not only owned his people's cattle, and sheep, and horses, but if he wished, he could do what he would with his serf's wife and children. There was a time when every woman became by law the wife of every male member of her tribe and every man the husband of every female member. Thus the communism of the brute prevailed. Thus the human being was an animal, a beast pure and simple. Even down to Bible times, we find that Abraham was not only the husband of Sarah, but also the father of Ishmael, by his handmaiden, Hagar. David and Solomon were the husbands of many wives. But now the condition of society is all changed. The marital status has gone back to the Edenic state. Now by law there is only one husband for one wife, and one wife for one husband. It has gone back to the ideal condition God first ordained, when the Psalmist described when he wrote: "God setteth the solitary in families." Such being the social condition among the civilized races, I believe we are one and all ready to grant, that no class of men are more willing to recognize their responsibility to God than those who conscientiously try to fulfill their responsibilities in family life.

The next great battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when the frowning walls of religious intolerance were battered down, and the torture dungeons of the Dark Ages were forever opened to the purifying light. Ah, the battle for religious liberty was a long and a bitter struggle! It was not won in a day, a decade, a generation, or a century. It fought its way through the flying stones and the bloody swords and the spears, and the martyrdoms of Christians of Apostolic times. The fight for emancipation went on among the crackling flames of burning Rome. It clutched by their throats the man-eating monsters that leaped into the Roman Coliseum. It defied the lowering looks, and the blasphemous oaths of the mobs that gathered in the Florentine square of beautiful Italy to see Savonarola die. It suffered all the agonies which Fox recorded in his History of the Lives and Sufferings, and Triumphant Deaths of the Primitive, as well as the Protestant Martyrs. It steeled the backbone of lion-hearted Martin Luther, as well as of John Huss. It fought its battle until at last the opened Bible was placed in the hand of the common people, and every man was free to worship God according to the dictates of his conscience, whether in the Christian church, the Jewish temple, or the Mohammedan mosque.

No man can be said to worship God in sincerity and truth unless he bows before the Mercy Seat under the impulse of a free will. When Torquemada headed the Inquisition, and Charles the Ninth was drunk with human blood, and "Bloody Mary" signed the death warrant of over three hundred martyrs, and Charlemagne forcibly drove the people of his kingdom into the rivers, where, like struggling cattle, the priests baptized them by the wholesale, fear may have made the frightened men and women bow and profess Christ, but fear never yet made a true Christian. You cannot terrorize a man into the kingdom of God with the executioner's ax, or the slave-master's lash. The Bible is full of the gospel invitations "to come," "Come, for all things are now ready. Come come; come!" But upon no page of the Bible can you find anywhere the words written, "Come to Christ against your will!" "Come with hate in your heart!" "Come with defying sin on your lips!" "Come, as a trembling murderer is led to the scaffold, or to incarceration for life." Thus, we find that the second great onward movement for the world's redemption was taken when Bigotry's swarthy limbs were manacled, when the hissing tongue of Persecution was stilled, and when Religious Liberty could lift up her smiling face towards the heavens, and stretch forth her white hands to lead, as well as to protect, a free human race.

The next great onward movement for the world's redemption is to be found in the commercial supremacy which has brought all the five continents and the islands of the sea into sympathetic touch. There was a time when a man rarely traveled one hundred miles from the place where he was born. His grave was dug only a short distance from where the tree was planted out of which his cradle was cut. The world was not only divided into nations, but the nations into distinct and antagonistic clans. The Scotchman born in the highlands could not understand the dialect of the Lowlanders. But now, everywhere, commercialism is making of one blood all nations that dwell upon the face of the earth. The American sailor's "Yo, heave!" is heard by the wharves of Tarshish. The East Indian merchantment, and the ships for China and Japan, and the Philippines, and Australia, and New Zealand, follow each other through the Suez canal. The railroads of Brazil, and the steamship lines of Chili and Buenos Ayres, and Capetown are owned by foreign capital. The Russian warships are being built in the American shipyards. A great international war is becoming more and more an impossibility, because the Turkish mortgages are held in Paris, Berlin, and London, and Wall street, and the foreign capitalists must rise or fall together.

But from a spiritual standpoint, why do we say that a great battle was won because commercialism has brought all the world into sympathetic touch? Is the cable sunken under the seas, the telegraphic wires strung overhead, the railroad lines bringing New York and San Francisco into closer communication than were once New York and Georgia, and the great steamboat lines turning all oceans into ferries—are any of these to have anything to do with the advent of the millenial dawn? Is that wonderful invention of Johannes Gutenberg called printing, the outgrowth of which is the modern newspaper press, to have no part in the world's redemption? Oh, yes. The Bible does not say that the world shall grow gradually better and better. But it does say that when the "Gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations, then shall the end come." And how can that Gospel be preached quicker to all people than through the medium of the telegraph, and telephone, and railroad train, and passenger steamboat lines, and freight boats. When the revision of the New Testament was completed some years ago, was not the Book telegraphed verbatim in one night from New York to Chicago? And can we not, through the conquest of a mercenary commercialism, scatter, practically in the twinkling of an eye, the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the furthermost parts of the earth, so that whole nations shall be born in a day?

Another great preliminary battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when the Parliament of Religions assembled at the World's Fair in Chicago. Then all the intelligent members of the Anglo-Saxon race realized, as never before, that the Gospel of Jesus Christ was not only the best of all religions, but also that it is the only Gospel which promises perfect peace this side of the grave, as well as salvation beyond.

In 1892 an American tourist was talking in Calcutta to a high-class Bengali. During their conversation this dark-colored native of India exultantly said: "Ah, you are from America. We are soon going to send over our missionaries to Chicago, and we shall convert America to the teachings of Kali, Buddha and Mohammed." But when the oriental missionaries began to talk, we remembered the burning ghats of the Ganges. We could hear the death cries of the child-widows who were being sacrificed upon the funeral pyres. We could see all the superstitions and debaucheries of the harems, and the degradations of their people in the East. Edwin Arnold's "Light of Asia" might burn brightly when fed by the oil of the poetic imagination of the gifted English writer, who married a dark-skinned daughter of the east, but Arnold's "Light of Asia" was found to be as dark as India, with its teeming millions in utter darkness. Darkness black as that of Africa, or as dark as the benighted human beings who, as cannibals, are banqueting off human flesh. As all peoples must believe in a God of some sort, so today, as never before, the intelligent, civilized nations know that the gospel of Jesus Christ is the only gospel which will bring true peace and progress to the world. When a native chief asked Queen Victoria the source of England's strength, she handed to him a bible. So, today, most of the civilized races are ready to confess that the strength of the mightiest earthly governments is centered in the word of God. Where the bible is not, there are superstition and ignorance and brutalizing crime.

Thus, many preliminary battles have already been fought and won. Now comes the practical question: What race of people is going to start forth to lead in the last great battle which is to be fought for the redemption of the world for Christ? Has Jesus a right to look with hope towards any people more confidently than to the Anglo-Saxon race? From what race came the crusaders, Godfrey and Frederick Barbarossa, and Baldwin of Flanders, and Richard the Lion Hearted and Frederick II? From what race came the pilgrim fathers who crossed the seas, imbued with many noble ambitions, the chief of which was to carry the gospel of Jesus Christ to the furthermost ends of the earth? Among the hearts of what people was the great foreign missionary cause first born? Who today are striving most of all to civilize and Christianize the world at large? Is it not the members of the Anglo-Saxon race? Is there any people who can be more justly called a Christian people than the Anglo-Saxons?

The Anglo-Saxon race is best qualified to lead in this great forward movement for Christ, also, because in this century it holds a position of dominant power and influence among the nations analogous to that held by ancient Rome at the birth of Christianity. They geographically hold the stragetic points of all the world. Open the map of the world where you will and drop your finger at random. Gibraltar, the key of the Mediterranean, held by England. Suez canal and the sovereignty of Egypt, by England. Eastern as well as northern Africa dominated by England. The islands of the Pacific held by Germany, England and the United States. North and South America dominated by the United States by its "Monroe doctrine." Europe, for the most part, controlled or influenced by Germany or England. Both supreme in their own ways—England by her navy, Germany by her army. The whale and the lion practically unconquerable in their own domains.

Then, where can you find a people mentally and spiritually and physically better equipped to carry forth this gospel message than the members of the Anglo-Saxon race? To conquer the world for Christ God is going to use giants now as he used giants of old. "God made the violin," Stradivarius used to say, "but God had to first make an Antonio Stradivarius before he could put together his best violins." Under the power of the Holy Spirit the apostolic messengers were able to scatter the gospel messages everywhere. But how could such wonders have been accomplished in so short a time unless God had first sent forth a messenger mentally and spiritually gigantic, as he did when he sent forth Paul? And where can God get better modern emissaries, if we are willing to do what we ought to do, than among the members of the Anglo-Saxon race?

There are many reasons why the Anglo-Saxon race should lead in this movement. Some of these may be regarded as fanciful and romantic. It is not long since a professor, formerly of Yale university, undertook to prove that the Anglo-Saxon race represents the ten lost tribes of Israel and he even asserted that the present reigning house of Great Britain is descended from King Solomon through a Hebrew princess named Tea Tephi, who became the bride of King Fergus of Ireland and Scotland, from whom descended King James VI. of Scotland, who became King James I. of England. He contended that the very stone which forms the seat of the coronation chair on which the monarchs of Great Britain sit when they are crowned originally formed a part of Solomon's temple and was brought to Ireland by Tea Tephi herself as a precious relic. With all such fanciful traditions we have nothing to do. The essential fact is that the gospel of Christ, which must ultimately triumph, is enshrined in the hearts of the Anglo-Saxon race more than in those of any other race, and that they have the opportunity and the qualities which fit them to embrace it of propagating that gospel to the ends of the earth.

This glorious consummation of Christ's earthly kingdom, I believe will be achieved under God's omnipotent power, working through the Anglo-Saxon race. Who will lead the way? The beginning of every great movement in the world's history has been humble and inconspicuous. The origin of the Christian church itself, now numbering its millions in all lands, was in a single room, in which, all told, there were only one hundred and twenty persons. Where will the movement for the final triumph begin? It may be in such a church as this, but it will be somewhere, where there is a band of earnest, consecrated, praying souls—men and women self-sacrificing, ardent, agonizing in supplication to God for power. There is an old proverb which goes something like this: "The best way for a city to keep its streets clean, is for every man to clean the sidewalk in front of his own home." The best way for the Anglo-Saxon race to start on this world-wide mission, is for us, as individuals, to start here, and start now. A little handful, under the power of the Holy Spirit, we may accomplish at least as much for Christ as did that little band of praying men and women in the upper chamber of Jerusalem?

So, today, I want to enlarge your Gospel horizon. I want to show that the work you can do for Jesus, should be studied no longer through a microscope, but through a telescope. I want to show you that, as all time is merely nothing more than a long succession of seconds and minutes, and days, and weeks, and years, so all great events are merely the accumulations of the works of single individuals. The Anglo-Saxon in great units may be composed of nations. The Anglo-Saxon race in small units, is composed of individuals just like ourselves. Will you and I start here and now, with God's help, for the conquest of the world for Christ? Will you and I, here and now consecrate our lives to his service, so that we may become his acceptable messengers for this work?

The final redemption of the world would not be far off, if we could only bring Jesus in touch with all mankind. An imaginative religious writer once had this beautiful dream about how the world was finally to be conquered for Jesus. It was, I believe, to be in the year 2001. A great international war was about to burst over Europe. All the nations of that continent were divided into two sides. England, Germany, Norway, Sweden, Belgium and Holland were on the one side. France, Spain, Italy, Turkey, Austria and Russia were upon the other side. The great armies were marshaled into two mighty hosts, the tread of whose feet and the rumble of whose cannon made the earth shake. The night before the decisive battle was to open, the camp-fires of the sleeping soldiers stretched for miles and miles away. But the night before that battle opened, a strange being was seen to go rapidly through the different camps of the nations. Upon the breast of each soldier he pinned a badge or a sign. The next morning the bugles sounded and the armies were drawn up in battle array. But when the generals gave the command, "Fire," and "Charge," not one gun spoke, not one soldier moved. Then the generals began to inquire the cause. They found out the reason. The strange being, who the night before went from camp to camp, was Jesus Christ. The badge which was pinned upon every soldier's breast was the Sign of the Cross. Jesus had at last conquered. The sign of forgiveness, and of love, and pardon, and sinlessness had at last spiked the guns of war, and turned every soldier into an emissary of peace. There is only one way I would change that wonderful dream of the Gospel writer. In the last great battle of sinful war, I would not have the members of the Anglo-Saxon race participants. The night before the battle was to open, I would have Jesus Christ go through the camp of the Slav, the Malay, and all the peoples of the earth, led by a white-skinned guide. That guide I would have the ruddy, flaxen-haired Caucasian, the guide whom I would call the Anglo-Saxon race. Oh my brother, and sister, by the consecration of your lives, and prayers, will you not help make this scene possible? Will you not here and now start forth, by God's help, to conquer in the near future, the world for Jesus Christ?

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J. G. Osborn, of Westfield, Pa., has a hobby for raising ginseng, the Chinese drug which has found such favor in this country. Until Mr. Osborn took it up, ginseng users had to content themselves with taking chances of getting the favorite root from "sheng" hunters, who seek it in the woods, or pay enormous prices for the imported article.

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All interested in the Watch Tower Bible and Tract society publications meet for Bible study at 917 Calhoun street, Kimball hall, at 3 p. m.

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Paying a visit of inspection one day to a large English school, an inspector found a teacher exercising a class in the subject of definitions. The interrogation put to them seemed for a moment a great puzzle. The question was: "What is teetotalism?"

At last one tiny girl, whose pinch-face and shabby clothes bespoke hard times at home, put up her hand and cried out: "I know, teacher!"

Both teacher and visitor felt lumps rise in their throats as the answer came, in the thin, piping treble: "Teetotalism means bread and butter."

With tears welling in her eyes, the teacher said: "You must explain that."

And the small damsel promptly replied:

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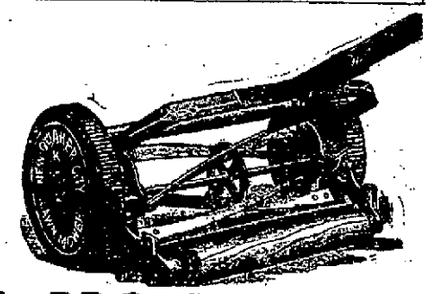

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Wayne street church, Asher S. Preston, pastor—Morning topic, "The Rent Veil;" evening topic, "Home;" Epworth league anniversary at 6:30, followed by public installation of officers; probationers will be received into full connection at the close of the morning service; meeting of the Oxford brotherhood Monday at 7:30 p. m.; woman's bible meeting Tuesday at 3 p. m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Simpson church, Harrison and Dawson streets, Rev. Jay C. Dorwin, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., James E. Graham, superintendent; morning service at 10:30; text, Luke 2:49; junior league at 2:30, Nina C. Dorwin, leader; 7 o'clock, Epworth league prayer service; at 7:30 the bi-centennial anniversary of John Wesley will be observed under the auspices of the Epworth league; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Trinity church, corner Fourth and Cass streets, Rev. David Wells, pastor—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., F. A. McMaken, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 a. m.; class meeting at 11:45 a. m.; junior league at 3 p. m., Mrs. Wells, superintendent; senior league at 7 p. m., led by Josiah Drewett; at 8 p. m. the Epworth league anniversary will be observed by rendering the official program, "The Wesley Succession;" missionary prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

St. Paul church—Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m., C. B. Waterson, superintendent; preaching, 10:30; subject, "The Glory of Young Men;" class meeting, 11:45, Dr. J. J. Ogle, leader; junior league, 2:30, Miss Patterson, superintendent; Epworth league, 6:30; anniversary services of Epworth league at 7:30; a lot of new hymnals have been purchased and will be used in the morning; prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:45.

FREE METHODIST.

church, 1320 East Creighton Rev. Robert H. Clark, pastor this church; services ... evening; sermon at night by Rev. Geo. B. Ranshaw, of Cincinnati, Ohio, assistant secretary American Missionary society; Wednesday night, mid-week services.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Plymouth church, Rev. J. Webster Bailey pastor. Morning service at 10:45; sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30, A. G. Burry, superintendent; Harry E. Willson, assistant. Junior Endeavor at 3 o'clock; Senior Endeavor at 5 o'clock. Afternoon service at 4 o'clock. Address by the pastor on "Just for Today." Wednesday evening, monthly missionary meeting, 7:45.

South church, corner West DeWald street and Hoagland avenue—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., P. C. Kantz, superintendent; preaching service at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Eberhart, of Dunkirk, Ind.; mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

REFORMED.

Salem church, next to postoffice, P. Ruhl, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; morning service and preaching at 10:30; evening service at 7:30. The evening service will be in English.

Grace church, East Washington street between Barr and Lafayette streets, Rev. A. E. Zartman, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; at 10:30, second sermon on Paul's Epistle to the Thessolonians; young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.; at 7:30 p. m. the pastor begins a series of sermons on "The Home," the opening subject being "Our Boys;" there will be special music at this service; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

St. John's church, corner Washington boulevard and Webster street, John H. Bosch, pastor—9 a. m., Sunday school; 10:15 a. m., morning services and preaching; 7 p. m., prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., evening services and preaching; Wednesday evening, discussion and explanation of Sunday school lesson; Thursday, Ascension day, services at 10 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First church—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m., Floral hall, Flick building, 207-209 West Berry street—Subject, "Soul and Body;" golden text: "Will God indeed dwell on the earth? Behold, the heaven and heaven of heavens cannot contain thee; how Sunday of the month; mission services on the third Sunday of the month; the ladies' society meets the last Sunday of the month after the morning service.

Trinity, corner of Huffman and Oakland streets, Rev. Paul Stoeppelwerth, pastor—Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

German Lutheran Zion's church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street, Rev. H. Chr. Luehr, pastor—Services, 10:00 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Evangelical Lutheran Concordia congregation, southwest corner of Fletcher and Alliger streets—Sunday services: Preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rev. August Lange, pastor.

St. Paul's, on Barr street, Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Emmaus Lutheran, Broadway and Creighton avenue, Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastor—Sunday services, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

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The following meetings are held Sunday in rotation during the month commencing at 4 o'clock: First Sunday, Married Men's Sodality and Young Men's Sodality; second Tuesday, Rosary Sodality; third Sunday, Young Ladies' Sodality; fourth Sunday, Boys' Sodality and Young Girls' Sodality. The Catholic Knights of America, branch 103, meets the first and third Sundays of each month. The Sacred Heart League has special devotions on the first Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's, corner of DeWald and Harrison streets, Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Thomas Mungovan, assistant. The services at the church are as follows: Mass at 7:45 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; high mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism at 2:15 p. m.; vespers at 3 p. m.; masses at 6:30 and 8 a. m. during week days.

Following is a list of the various societies of the church and the time of meeting: Married Men's and

HOME MISSION.

Home Mission, 118 East Columbia—Meeting every night at 7:45; Bible study on Sunday at 3 p. m.; subject, "Christians and Professors," and Tuesday at 7:45 p. m., Gen. 5-11, synthetic study; children's meeting Sunday at 4 p. m., in charge of Mrs. J. A. Quince.

Topic for May 17: The lad with the Loaves and Fishes. John, 6:9-13.

The boy who had the loaves that day seems to have been very young—only a mere lad. This ought to be very encouraging to juniors and very young Christians. They cannot do much for Christ. Sometimes they think they are too small to do anything for Him. But this little fellow did a great deal. He and Jesus fed five thousand hungry men. The little people can help Jesus now in many ways.

LOCAL.

The rate to Denver from Fort Wayne will be $29.00 for the round trip, with return limit of August 31. Those wishing to go on the state train will leave Fort Wayne on the 7th, via the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad to Chicago, and from there to Denver the Chicago, Northwestern and Union Pacific railroad. The trip promises to be most helpful in many ways. The speakers and plans for Endeavor are the best, the scenery the grandest.

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In this sermon Rev. Talmage preaches on "The Advancing Generations." His text is from Exodus xiv., 15: "Speak unto the Children of Israel that they go Forward."

Napoleon Bonaparte, in some respects the greatest warrior of modern times, once declared: "There sometimes comes a crisis in a battle or campaign, when victory, as a bird, will hover over the standards of that general who has brains and grit enough to give the command, 'Forward, march!'" This was the way the French commander defeated the two great wings of the Austrian army at Montenotte and Ceva. This was the way he won his battles at Arcola and Marengo and Wagram. This was the way he tried to win Waterloo, when he commanded Marshal Ney to lead the Old Guard against the solid squares of the British infantry. And this was the way Moses, the great law-giver and soldier, led the children of Israel out of Egypt, over the sands and on through the Red Sea, and freed them from the onrushing charge of the pursuing Egyptians.

But the divine command given to the children of Israel "that they go forward," is applicable to the children of God at the present time. I believe we are at a crisis in the world's history. In 1890, my father preached a sermon, entitled, "Last Decade of the Century." By it he tried to show how easily the world could be brought to Christ within ten years, if every Christian would annually bring only one soul to Christ, and these new converts in turn would also individually bring one soul to Christ every following year. But today, I want to show that the world can be brought to Christ even in less time than that, if the Christian church will only realize its full opportunity, and grasp it. I want to show this, because I believe all the great preliminary battles have been fought and won which are necessary for this final triumph. As Concord, and Lexington, and Bunker Hill, and Princeton, and Saratoga had to precede the Yorktown surrender, so I would trace the great onward movements of the human race to show how we are fast approaching the golden milestone, where the world can be redeemed from sin. Then I would try to show how the Anglo-Saxon race, as a human agency, can take the chief part in this gladsome and world-wide triumph, if we will only move forward in God's name.

The first great battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when every man's fireside became his "City of Refuge," or his impregnable castle, from which no feudal lord or arbitary chieftain could dislodge him. It was won when a husband and a father could walk into his home and shut the door, and defy the great wide world, as he said: "These goods are mine. This wife is mine. These children are mine, and no man dare touch them." It was won when an honest man, no matter how humble he might be, had a right in fee simple to the property which his energy had earned, to the woman whom he had led to the marriage altar, and to the children who were born to them.

The right of a man to own his own home, and to have an exclusive claim over his wife and children, are recognized in every civilized land. We have all read the story of the "Miller and the Emperor." Frederick, the Great, wanted to enlarge his palace grounds. A miller owned a little patch of land near the royal domain. The king offered to buy it. The miller would not sell. The king offered three, four, five times the value of the property. The miller still refused. That land was to him above the value of money. It represented to him the home of his childhood and the home of his ancestors. "Then," said the king, "I will confiscate your land and take it forcibly from you." "Then," said the miller to the king, "I will go to law and compel you to give me back my property." The king was helpless. He knew that in Prussia the king might sit upon a throne, but there was a power greater than the king. That one was the law protecting the man entrenched behind the impregnable walls of his own home.

But this condition of individual rights of a man and of a family did not always exist in the human race. There was a time when the name of husband and wife did not mean what they do today. "There was a time," wrote Sir John Lubbock in his book, entitled, The Origin of Civilization, "when in many tribes the children took the name of the mother instead of the father, because the name of the father was never known." There was a time when, by the old feudal system, the corner-stone of society was not in the home of the laborer, but in the castled walls of the nearby ruling lord. The feudal lord not only owned his people's cattle, and sheep, and horses, but if he wished, he could do what he would with his serf's wife and children. There was a time when every woman became by law the wife of every male member of her tribe and every man the husband of every female member. Thus the communism of the brute prevailed. Thus the human being was an animal, a beast pure and simple. Even down to Bible times, we find that Abraham was not only the husband of Sarah, but also the father of Ishmael, by his handmaiden, Hagar. David and Solomon were the husbands of many wives. But now the condition of society is all changed. The marital status has gone back to the Edenic state. Now by law there is only one husband for one wife, and one wife for one husband. It has gone back to the ideal condition God first ordained, when the Psalmist described when he wrote: "God setteth the solitary in families." Such being the social condition among the civilized races, I believe we are one and all ready to grant, that no class of men are more willing to recognize their responsibility to God than those who conscientiously try to fulfill their responsibilities in family life.

The next great battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when the frowning walls of religious intolerance were battered down, and the torture dungeons of the Dark Ages were forever opened to the purifying light. Ah, the battle for religious liberty was a long and a bitter struggle! It was not won in a day, a decade, a generation, or a century. It fought its way through the flying stones and the bloody swords and the spears, and the martyrdoms of Christians of Apostolic times. The fight for emancipation went on among the crackling flames of burning Rome. It clutched by their throats the man-eating monsters that leaped into the Roman Coliseum. It defied the lowering looks, and the blasphemous oaths of the mobs that gathered in the Florentine square of beautiful Italy to see Savonarola die. It suffered all the agonies which Fox recorded in his History of the Lives and Sufferings, and Triumphant Deaths of the Primitive, as well as the Protestant Martyrs. It steeled the backbone of lion-hearted Martin Luther, as well as of John Huss. It fought its battle until at last the opened Bible was placed in the hand of the common people, and every man was free to worship God according to the dictates of his conscience, whether in the Christian church, the Jewish temple, or the Mohammedan mosque.

No man can be said to worship God in sincerity and truth unless he bows before the Mercy Seat under the impulse of a free will. When Torquemada headed the Inquisition, and Charles the Ninth was drunk with human blood, and "Bloody Mary" signed the death warrant of over three hundred martyrs, and Charlemagne forcibly drove the people of his kingdom into the rivers, where, like struggling cattle, the priests baptized them by the wholesale, fear may have made the frightened men and women bow and profess Christ, but fear never yet made a true Christian. You cannot terrorize a man into the kingdom of God with the executioner's ax, or the slave-master's lash. The Bible is full of the gospel invitations "to come," "Come, for all things are now ready. Come come; come!" But upon no page of the Bible can you find anywhere the words written, "Come to Christ against your will!" "Come with hate in your heart!" "Come with defying sin on your lips!" "Come, as a trembling murderer is led to the scaffold, or to incarceration for life." Thus, we find that the second great onward movement for the world's redemption was taken when Bigotry's swarthy limbs were manacled, when the hissing tongue of Persecution was stilled, and when Religious Liberty could lift up her smiling face towards the heavens, and stretch forth her white hands to lead, as well as to protect, a free human race.

The next great onward movement for the world's redemption is to be found in the commercial supremacy which has brought all the five continents and the islands of the sea into sympathetic touch. There was a time when a man rarely traveled one hundred miles from the place where he was born. His grave was dug only a short distance from where the tree was planted out of which his cradle was cut. The world was not only divided into nations, but the nations into distinct and antagonistic clans. The Scotchman born in the highlands could not understand the dialect of the Lowlanders. But now, everywhere, commercialism is making of one blood all nations that dwell upon the face of the earth. The American sailor's "Yo, heave!" is heard by the wharves of Tarshish. The East Indian merchantment, and the ships for China and Japan, and the Philippines, and Australia, and New Zealand, follow each other through the Suez canal. The railroads of Brazil, and the steamship lines of Chili and Buenos Ayres, and Capetown are owned by foreign capital. The Russian warships are being built in the American shipyards. A great international war is becoming more and more an impossibility, because the Turkish mortgages are held in Paris, Berlin, and London, and Wall street, and the foreign capitalists must rise or fall together.

But from a spiritual standpoint, why do we say that a great battle was won because commercialism has brought all the world into sympathetic touch? Is the cable sunken under the seas, the telegraphic wires strung overhead, the railroad lines bringing New York and San Francisco into closer communication than were once New York and Georgia, and the great steamboat lines turning all oceans into ferries—are any of these to have anything to do with the advent of the millenial dawn? Is that wonderful invention of Johannes Gutenberg called printing, the outgrowth of which is the modern newspaper press, to have no part in the world's redemption? Oh, yes. The Bible does not say that the world shall grow gradually better and better. But it does say that when the "Gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations, then shall the end come." And how can that Gospel be preached quicker to all people than through the medium of the telegraph, and telephone, and railroad train, and passenger steamboat lines, and freight boats. When the revision of the New Testament was completed some years ago, was not the Book telegraphed verbatim in one night from New York to Chicago? And can we not, through the conquest of a mercenary commercialism, scatter, practically in the twinkling of an eye, the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the furthermost parts of the earth, so that whole nations shall be born in a day?

Another great preliminary battle for the world's redemption was fought and won when the Parliament of Religions assembled at the World's Fair in Chicago. Then all the intelligent members of the Anglo-Saxon race realized, as never before, that the Gospel of Jesus Christ was not only the best of all religions, but also that it is the only Gospel which promises perfect peace this side of the grave, as well as salvation beyond.

In 1892 an American tourist was talking in Calcutta to a high-class Bengali. During their conversation this dark-colored native of India exultantly said: "Ah, you are from America. We are soon going to send over our missionaries to Chicago, and we shall convert America to the teachings of Kali, Buddha and Mohammed." But when the oriental missionaries began to talk, we remembered the burning ghats of the Ganges. We could hear the death cries of the child-widows who were being sacrificed upon the funeral pyres. We could see all the superstitions and debaucheries of the harems, and the degradations of their people in the East. Edwin Arnold's "Light of Asia" might burn brightly when fed by the oil of the poetic imagination of the gifted English writer, who married a dark-skinned daughter of the east, but Arnold's "Light of Asia" was found to be as dark as India, with its teeming millions in utter darkness. Darkness black as that of Africa, or as dark as the benighted human beings who, as cannibals, are banqueting off human flesh. As all peoples must believe in a God of some sort, so today, as never before, the intelligent, civilized nations know that the gospel of Jesus Christ is the only gospel which will bring true peace and progress to the world. When a native chief asked Queen Victoria the source of England's strength, she handed to him a bible. So, today, most of the civilized races are ready to confess that the strength of the mightiest earthly governments is centered in the word of God. Where the bible is not, there are superstition and ignorance and brutalizing crime.

Thus, many preliminary battles have already been fought and won. Now comes the practical question: What race of people is going to start forth to lead in the last great battle which is to be fought for the redemption of the world for Christ? Has Jesus a right to look with hope towards any people more confidently than to the Anglo-Saxon race? From what race came the crusaders, Godfrey and Frederick Barbarossa, and Baldwin of Flanders, and Richard the Lion Hearted and Frederick II? From what race came the pilgrim fathers who crossed the seas, imbued with many noble ambitions, the chief of which was to carry the gospel of Jesus Christ to the furthermost ends of the earth? Among the hearts of what people was the great foreign missionary cause first born? Who today are striving most of all to civilize and Christianize the world at large? Is it not the members of the Anglo-Saxon race? Is there any people who can be more justly called a Christian people than the Anglo-Saxons?

The Anglo-Saxon race is best qualified to lead in this great forward movement for Christ, also, because in this century it holds a position of dominant power and influence among the nations analogous to that held by ancient Rome at the birth of Christianity. They geographically hold the stragetic points of all the world. Open the map of the world where you will and drop your finger at random. Gibraltar, the key of the Mediterranean, held by England. Suez canal and the sovereignty of Egypt, by England. Eastern as well as northern Africa dominated by England. The islands of the Pacific held by Germany, England and the United States. North and South America dominated by the United States by its "Monroe doctrine." Europe, for the most part, controlled or influenced by Germany or England. Both supreme in their own ways—England by her navy, Germany by her army. The whale and the lion practically unconquerable in their own domains.

Then, where can you find a people mentally and spiritually and physically better equipped to carry forth this gospel message than the members of the Anglo-Saxon race? To conquer the world for Christ God is going to use giants now as he used giants of old. "God made the violin," Stradivarius used to say, "but God had to first make an Antonio Stradivarius before he could put together his best violins." Under the power of the Holy Spirit the apostolic messengers were able to scatter the gospel messages everywhere. But how could such wonders have been accomplished in so short a time unless God had first sent forth a messenger mentally and spiritually gigantic, as he did when he sent forth Paul? And where can God get better modern emissaries, if we are willing to do what we ought to do, than among the members of the Anglo-Saxon race?

There are many reasons why the Anglo-Saxon race should lead in this movement. Some of these may be regarded as fanciful and romantic. It is not long since a professor, formerly of Yale university, undertook to prove that the Anglo-Saxon race represents the ten lost tribes of Israel and he even asserted that the present reigning house of Great Britain is descended from King Solomon through a Hebrew princess named Tea Tephi, who became the bride of King Fergus of Ireland and Scotland, from whom descended King James VI. of Scotland, who became King James I. of England. He contended that the very stone which forms the seat of the coronation chair on which the monarchs of Great Britain sit when they are crowned originally formed a part of Solomon's temple and was brought to Ireland by Tea Tephi herself as a precious relic. With all such fanciful traditions we have nothing to do. The essential fact is that the gospel of Christ, which must ultimately triumph, is enshrined in the hearts of the Anglo-Saxon race more than in those of any other race, and that they have the opportunity and the qualities which fit them to embrace it of propagating that gospel to the ends of the earth.

This glorious consummation of Christ's earthly kingdom, I believe will be achieved under God's omnipotent power, working through the Anglo-Saxon race. Who will lead the way? The beginning of every great movement in the world's history has been humble and inconspicuous. The origin of the Christian church itself, now numbering its millions in all lands, was in a single room, in which, all told, there were only one hundred and twenty persons. Where will the movement for the final triumph begin? It may be in such a church as this, but it will be somewhere, where there is a band of earnest, consecrated, praying souls—men and women self-sacrificing, ardent, agonizing in supplication to God for power. There is an old proverb which goes something like this: "The best way for a city to keep its streets clean, is for every man to clean the sidewalk in front of his own home." The best way for the Anglo-Saxon race to start on this world-wide mission, is for us, as individuals, to start here, and start now. A little handful, under the power of the Holy Spirit, we may accomplish at least as much for Christ as did that little band of praying men and women in the upper chamber of Jerusalem?

So, today, I want to enlarge your Gospel horizon. I want to show that the work you can do for Jesus, should be studied no longer through a microscope, but through a telescope. I want to show you that, as all time is merely nothing more than a long succession of seconds and minutes, and days, and weeks, and years, so all great events are merely the accumulations of the works of single individuals. The Anglo-Saxon in great units may be composed of nations. The Anglo-Saxon race in small units, is composed of individuals just like ourselves. Will you and I start here and now, with God's help, for the conquest of the world for Christ? Will you and I, here and now consecrate our lives to his service, so that we may become his acceptable messengers for this work?

The final redemption of the world would not be far off, if we could only bring Jesus in touch with all mankind. An imaginative religious writer once had this beautiful dream about how the world was finally to be conquered for Jesus. It was, I believe, to be in the year 2001. A great international war was about to burst over Europe. All the nations of that continent were divided into two sides. England, Germany, Norway, Sweden, Belgium and Holland were on the one side. France, Spain, Italy, Turkey, Austria and Russia were upon the other side. The great armies were marshaled into two mighty hosts, the tread of whose feet and the rumble of whose cannon made the earth shake. The night before the decisive battle was to open, the camp-fires of the sleeping soldiers stretched for miles and miles away. But the night before that battle opened, a strange being was seen to go rapidly through the different camps of the nations. Upon the breast of each soldier he pinned a badge or a sign. The next morning the bugles sounded and the armies were drawn up in battle array. But when the generals gave the command, "Fire," and "Charge," not one gun spoke, not one soldier moved. Then the generals began to inquire the cause. They found out the reason. The strange being, who the night before went from camp to camp, was Jesus Christ. The badge which was pinned upon every soldier's breast was the Sign of the Cross. Jesus had at last conquered. The sign of forgiveness, and of love, and pardon, and sinlessness had at last spiked the guns of war, and turned every soldier into an emissary of peace. There is only one way I would change that wonderful dream of the Gospel writer. In the last great battle of sinful war, I would not have the members of the Anglo-Saxon race participants. The night before the battle was to open, I would have Jesus Christ go through the camp of the Slav, the Malay, and all the peoples of the earth, led by a white-skinned guide. That guide I would have the ruddy, flaxen-haired Caucasian, the guide whom I would call the Anglo-Saxon race. Oh my brother, and sister, by the consecration of your lives, and prayers, will you not help make this scene possible? Will you not here and now start forth, by God's help, to conquer in the near future, the world for Jesus Christ?

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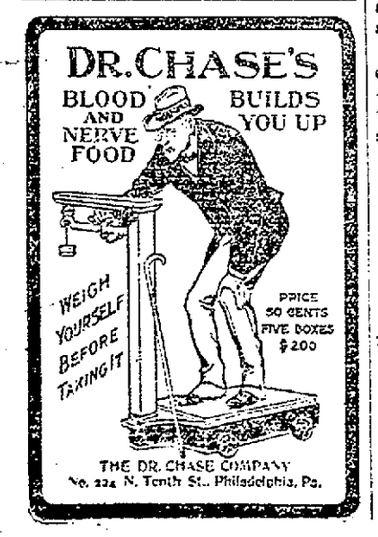
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"BY the way," began Mr. Bowser as he looked up from his paper, "weren't you saying something the other day about your watch being out of order?"

"Yes, it was out of order," replied Mrs. Bowser, "but I had it fixed. A man came along yesterday morning, and I gave it to him, and he had it back before 2 o'clock."

"Do you mean that a stranger came along?"

"Yes; he said he was from a jewelry store."

"And you handed him your watch without knowing who he was?"

"Yes."

"Well, if you don't deserve to be robbed of your shoes! By thunder, but I wouldn't believe it!"

"Why, what's wrong?" innocently asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Wrong? Wrong? You have a watch worth $100. You hand it out to a

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stranger to carry off without one chance in a hundred that you will ever see him again. If any one had told me that you were as big an idiot as that I couldn't have believed it."

"But the man brought it back."

"Are you sure it is the same watch?"

"Yes."

"And he didn't steal half the wheels?"

"No."

"Well, you have had a narrow escape and I hope it will be a great moral lesson to you. You are what is called an easy mark."

"I don't see that I did anything very silly," protested Mrs. Bowser. "I have known of your being swindled fifty different times, and you can't point to one single instance where I"—

"What—what!" he shouted, as he sprang up. "Woman, be careful how you talk. When have I ever been swindled?"

"On hair dyes and tonics and fire escapes and patent fuels and such things."

"Never in this world, and you know it! No human man has ever played me for a fat, and none ever will, while you would give up the dress off your back if asked for it!"

"Don't you remember that you once bought a fire escape warranted to ease you down to the ground as gently"—

"Stop right there! If it is your purpose to drive me from the house this evening, why don't you say so and be done with it? The idea of your talking such stuff!"

"Well, the man was honest and brought my watch back, and let's say no more about it. I see there is to be an exhibition of pictures this evening, and if you are agreeable"—

"Exhibition be hanged! You have charged me with being a fool—a sucker—a victim of swindlers. I want you to make that charge good or render an apology."

"But you called me an easy mark."

"And so you are. I have no doubt that you have been swindled a hundred times and said nothing to me about it. Go ahead, however, and support your charges against me."

But Mrs. Bowser didn't have to. The door bell rang just then and a stranger who had called to see Mr. Bowser was admitted. He was a sleek, slick man, and there was molasses in his mouth as he began:

"Mr. Bowser, I am from the firm of Ink & Roller, the Chicago publishers. We are getting out a book of biographical sketches of 250 great men of America, beginning with Washington. I have been instructed to call on you. We feel that the book would not be complete without a sketch of your life."

"H'm. I don't think I care for it," replied Mr. Bowser, though at the same time secretly pleased with the idea.

"But you must sacrifice your modesty for the sake of future generations. You are like all great men—overmodest—but I trust you will not carry it too far in this case. Let me show you what I have written up from such facts as I could gather, and I want you to correct any mistakes and elaborate on the whole."

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That was all, but it was enough to melt Mr. Bowser and send a warm glow all through him.

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"Y-e-s," was the hesitating reply.

"And do you wish to elaborate on them?"

"N-o."

"Very well. I will bid you good evening, and I thank you for your courtesy."

"Hold on a minute," said Mr. Bowser as the agent arose to depart. "I think—I think I will want about five of those books."

"Yes? I will put you down for five. Our rules are cash in advance. I will write you a receipt for the money, and I hope you will get a special photograph for us. If you desire to make any changes please communicate with Chicago."

Mr. Bowser returned to the sitting room with a pleased smile on his face and the receipt in his hand, and after strutting up and down for five minutes he communicated the affair to Mrs. Bowser.

"Yes, I thought so," she quietly replied. "You'd better go over and see our butcher."

"What has our butcher got to do with it?"

"Well, when I was in there the other day this same agent was trying to induce him to have his biography published, but he only asked him a dollar a volume for the books."

Mr. Bowser looked at her for a minute, and then his face began to pale and his hair to curl. Without a word he put on his hat and left the house.

The butcher was in his shop. There was a private and confidential confab lasting ten minutes, and then Mr. Bowser disappeared. A few minutes later the butcher himself appeared at the Bowser residence and smilingly said to Mrs. Bowser:

"I am requested to tell you that your husband is on the trail of the fakir, and at last reports both were going for the country at a gait of eight miles an hour. I think Mr. Bowser intends to pursue him for at least 10,000 miles if necessary, and if he isn't home for a month or two you needn't worry."

And while Mrs. Bowser and the cat turned out the lights and went to bed the villain was still pursued.

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"I AM REQUESTED TO TELL YOU THAT YOUR HUSBAND IS ON THE TRAIL OF THE FAKIR."

The Amateur Driving club has elected the following officers to serve one year: President, James J. O'Ryan; secretary, A. C. Hobrock; financial secretary, Frank Notestine; treasurer, Rudy Krull. The club is arranging for a Decoration day race, and among the events will be a pole race between Bessie O and Little Pumpkin on one side and Wayne Chief and Lottie S. on the other.

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State Senator Lew V. Ulrey, of this city, has a third interest in the Indiana and Illinois Gas company, capitalized at $1,000,000, which has under lease 6,000 acres in Randolph county. The fact that Senator Ulrey was connected with the company became known generally, very recently, although he has been working in the interests of the company for more than a year. The company has sunk a number of wells and the results have confirmed the belief that Randolph county was an excellent oil territory.

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The old-fashioned idea of dumping nauseating medicines into the stomach to cure any and all diseases from catarrh of the head to typhoid fever, is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. Every day sees less and less medicine used by the best physicians. This is particularly true in the treatment of catarrh and other diseases of the respiratory organs. It is just as foolish to take drugs into the stomach to cure catarrh of the head as to treat a sprain by swallowing tablets or tonics. The only way in which catarrh can be cured is by a direct application that will kill the bacili of catarrh in the mucous membrane of the nose and throat and prevent their growth.

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OFFICIAL CHAMPIONS.

Prize Winners in All Interstate Contests.

The Aurora Zouaves cancelled engagements covering nearly a year's time in order to return home. The boys from Illinois spent about a year in the cities of continental Europe giving their exhibitions of marvelous drilling and earned the title "Best Drilled Soldiers in the World" from the nobility and royalty of these foreign lands. Intending to remain away from home but for a few weeks, their success was so great that offers of engagements came so fast that almost before they knew it they were consigning themselves to a long exile from their native land. As many of them had business interests at Aurora that could be no longer neglected they secured a cancellation some future time. Once here the management of the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers combined shows made them a proposition for the present season that they could not afford to refuse, and they will be seen here with these shows when they exhibit on Saturday, June 6.

WILL ERECT BIG GYMNASIUM.

The members of the Turnverein Vorwaerts have taken up the project of erecting a large gymnasium, and at a meeting last night the Turners' Hall Building association was formed with the following officers:

President—William Bartenick.
Secretary—Gustave Ketchum.
Treasurer—Dan Clemens.

Directors for three years, Herman Mackwitz, Dan Clemens, William Bartenick; for two years, A. Roggen, L. Gauert and A. Lohse; for one year, Joseph Bogenschuetz and August Rodenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beaver will entertain the Epworth league of the First M. E. church at their home, 830 Columbia avenue, Tuesday evening.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for May 17, 1903—Paul Before Felix.

THE LESSON TEXT.
(Acts 24:10-16, 24-26.)

10. Then Paul, after that the governor had beckoned unto him to speak, answered, Forasmuch as I know that thou hast been of many years a judge unto the nation, I do the more cheerfully answer for myself:

11. Because that thou mayst understand that there are yet but 12 days since I went up to Jerusalem for to worship.

12. And they neither found me in the temple disputing with any man, neither raising up the people, neither in the synagogues, nor in the city:

13. Neither can they prove the things whereof they now accuse me.

14. But this I confess unto thee, that after the way which they call heresy, so worship I the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the law and in the prophets:

15. And have hope toward God, which they themselves also allow, that there shall be a resurrection of the dead, both of the just and unjust.

16. And herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offense toward God, and toward men.

24. And after certain days, when Felix came with his wife Drusilla, which was a Jewess, he sent for Paul, and heard him concerning the faith in Christ.

25. And as he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.

26. He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.

GOLDEN TEXT.—I will fear no evil: for thou art with me.—Ps. 23:4.

OUTLINE OF SCRIPTURE SECTION.
Paul's accusation.....Acts 24:1-9.
Paul's defense.....Acts 24:10-21.
Paul's imprisonment.....Acts 24:22, 23.
Felix's indecision.....Acts 24:14-27.

TIME.—A. D. 58.
PLACE.—Caesarea.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It will be seen that Paul makes a perfect defense, so far as the charges against him are concerned. But it should also be noted that he does more than acquit himself of them; he so makes known the character of "the sect" to which he is accused of belonging (but which he calls "the Way"), that he justifies its existence and its right to his fealty. Paul did not think of himself alone.

When our last lesson closed, Paul had been brought under guard to Caesarea, the Roman capital of Palestine, and had been imprisoned in what was originally Herod's palace. It was now the governor's official residence, and was fortified.

The "orator" the Jews took with them was their advocate or lawyer and conducted the case. He began in true oriental style by flattering the judge. The Jews, through their lawyer, made three charges. Bear in mind that while Felix had not been a good ruler, he had been active in ridding the country of "robbers and impostors who deluded the multitude." He had executed many of them. The first charge was that Paul was one of these very trouble-makers whom Felix was trying to get rid of; the second charge was that he was a ringleader of the heretical "sect of the Nazarenes" (Christians), and the third, that he was guilty of sacrilege, having attempted to profane the temple by taking Gentiles into the forbidden inclosure.

In his defense Paul took up in order the three charges that had been made against him. He began courteously but with no flattery. "Forasmuch as I know . . . I cheerfully make my defense:" He was especially glad to have a judge who had known the Jews for a number of years, for the better the judge knew them and their religious fanaticism the surer would he be to understand the situation. "Not more than twelve days:" Paul's stay had been short and his record could be easily looked up. "Neither can they prove:" Paul flatly denies the first charge—the only one that would seem serious to a Roman—and challenges proof of his guilt. The second he frankly admits. "The Way:" One of the earliest names applied by the disciples to Christianity. Paul claims, however, that he does not belong to a heretical sect, because (1) he worshiped the true God, (2) he reverenced the Hebrew Scriptures, (3) he believed with the Pharisees in the resurrection of the dead. "Herein:" In this faith. "I also exercise myself:" I school myself to do right, strive to have a clear conscience, which, even to Paul, was not always easy. Verses 17-21 give Paul's answer to the third charge.

Felix saw that no case had been made out against Paul, and yet he did not want to anger the Jews, so he simply adjourned the case till another time.

Felix was interested in Paul. He was also interested in the Nazarenes, and so summoned his prisoner to a private interview. Paul did not preach to the Roman a gospel of forms and ceremonies like Judaism, but one of righteousness and self-control—a gospel in which wrongdoing should be followed by what wrongdoing deserved. It was all terrible truth to the guilty Felix, but he was not man enough to change his life, and so he closed his eyes to the truth and tried to forget it. Paul was sent back to his prison, but Felix did not forget it, and kept sending for Paul and talking with him. Of course he expected Paul to offer a bribe for his freedom, but that does not account for his action, which was that of a man seeing the truth, and fascinated by it, and yet too weak to accept it and live by it.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

Like Felix, one may have a pretty exact knowledge concerning the Way, and yet not walk in it.

Like Felix, one may hear faithful preaching, and yet try to throw off the convictions it produces.

Like Felix, one may be moved with fear of the judgment, and yet postpone preparation for it.

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Dr. Max Kassowitz, Professor of Children's Disease in University of Vienna, Gives His Views.

All of the spirituous drinks, wine, beer, brandy, rum and cognac, contain a poison, alcohol or spirits, which is the cause of their intoxicating effect. Those diseases to which the habitual drinker is exposed, such as delirium tremens, fatty degeneration of the heart, cirrhosis of the liver and the kidneys are also produced by nothing else than the poisonous action of alcohol.

It is manifest that children are especially susceptible to this poison, since it takes only a small quantity to intoxicate them. Among grown people, death rarely results directly from severe intoxication, but such cases are frequent enough among children.

This peculiar susceptibility of children is also evident from the fact that even moderate quantities of beer, wine, rum, or cognac regularly used by children for a considerable period may occasion serious forms of disease, such as delirium tremens, attacks of epilepsy, enormous increase of the liver, and inflammation of the kidneys with dropsy.

All of these dreadful consequences of the so-called moderate drinking by children, have been observed repeatedly by myself and other physicians.

In the face of such facts, people unwilling to expose their children to any such danger must desist from giving them alcoholic drinks of any sort.

Against any such warning one commonly meets the objection that the effects of alcohol are not exclusively injurious, that they are also a benefit and useful, that beer has been recommended for its nutritive action as "liquid bread," that wine is a tonic, that cognac promotes digestion, and that drinks containing alcohol stimulate the intellect.

To all this one can only reply that even if all the above were true, a conscientious father or loving mother would risk the possibility of the children becoming dangerously diseased by means of drink for the sake of any of these pretended advantages. As a matter of fact, these advantages do not exist, and people who ascribe these beneficial properties to alcohol are lamentably mistaken.

Alcohol never affords nourishment but remains always and only poison. Food is a protection to the body and prevents it from wasting away, while poison is destructive to the body and hastens its waste. Alcohol certainly is a poison, because any human being, any animal, any plant can be killed by means of it. Scientists have made numerous experiments with it which have invariably led to the same result, namely, that alcohol cannot be substituted for any part of one's food, that even a very little alcohol quickly the waste of the actually living body substance. This fact is proved by the observation that children who have been supplied from their earliest youth with this supposed poison are frequently backward in growth and development, which of course would never result from the use of real food.

The same truth holds with regard to the supposed promotion of digestion. With reference to this question also, experiments on human beings and animals have demonstrated that in every instance digestion is retarded and enfeebled, a fact substantiated by observation among children. Children frequently suffer from a loss of appetite merely because they are being supplied with beer, wine or cognac, and as soon as the alcohol interfering with the digestion is withheld, they regain their former pleasure in eating.

The imaginary strengthening action of alcohol is another fiction. People can only acquire strength by means of real foods, such as meat, fat, flour or sugar, but never by means of poison. The utmost which poison can do is to benumb for a time the sense of fatigue. Following this deadening of the sensibility, however, the weariness and debility always return, increased in degree. That is why any severe physical effort can be accomplished more advantageously without alcohol, and those who wrestle or ride or contend for prizes at a regatta, let alone severely alone. They are aware that by means of any such strengthener they are sure of defeat.

As it is in respect to strengthening the body, so it is concerning the intellect. Regarding this, also, numerous experiments have completely demonstrated that either alcohol does not increase the mental capability, or that if momentarily there is a slight increase, that increase is followed in every instance by a manifest lowering of power. Besides this weakening of the intellectual power is not temporary; it may last hours or even days. As for children, a very small quantity, a decilitre (one of a pint) is sufficient to obviously diminish their power of attention and capability of instruction. Accordingly, it is not surprising that when this subject was investigated in a public school in Vienna, it was found that those children who were in the habit of drinking wine or beer ranked mostly among the poorest scholars.

It follows, therefore, that people who desire to have their children healthy in body and powerful in mind, must withhold from them alcoholic liquors of every variety.—Translated from German by the W. C. T. U.

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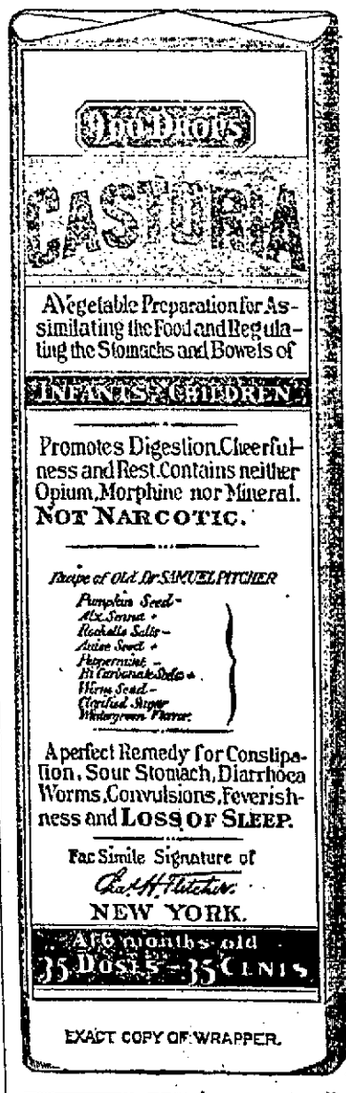
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It must be admitted that hippodrome racing as frequently seen under canvas is a disappointing failure, but it must also be acknowledged by all who ever say them as presented by the Great Wallace Show, that there is one circus at least that puts them on right.

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ones. Among the mountaineers fighting and drinking are not considered to go together, and to be able to fight is the first duty of a citizen. Therefore the drunkard is harshly dealt with. At first they try moral suasion with the festive tippler, but when that fails and he persists in making the mountain peaks ring to his Montenegran substitute for "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" he is declared to be a danger and disgrace to his tribe and his country and is quietly assassinated by order of the local chief.

NEWS FROM AFIELD.

Robertson county, Ky., gave a majority of 266 for local option.

Saloon licenses in Minneapolis, Minn., cost $1,000. The laws of Minnesota allow no seats or tables in saloons and no treating.

In Liverpool 500 public houses are visited weekly by the Salvation Army and a publican has been induced to give up his business.

A crusade for the enforcement of the law which prohibits the sale of cigarettes to children under 16 years is the work of the Business Men's association of Germantown, Pa.

Some of the most eminent medical practitioners in Dublin, like Sir John Moore, M. D., and Dr. Finny, have rallied to the help of the Committee of the Church of Ireland Temperance society in their efforts to give practical teaching on the subject of alcohol in the primary schools, and several of them have promised to deliver two lectures each on the occasion.

Miss Carrie Styer, of Kokomo, Ind., was discharged from her position in a store because she headed a band of slummers among the saloons. After dismissal she canvassed the town with remonstrances, and has already put 13 saloons out of business for two years. She aims to close every drinking place in town. The churches and Civic Federation will support her in her efforts.

A tidal wave of local prohibition is sweeping over the state of Tennessee, under the new law. Town after town is voting the saloon out. In one town with 336 votes, all but one was against the saloon. Athens gave a unanimous vote of 300 to put the saloon out of that college town. When the result was known, all the people gathered on the green and sang the doxology. Cleveland, the same day, voted out the saloons by 338 to 93.

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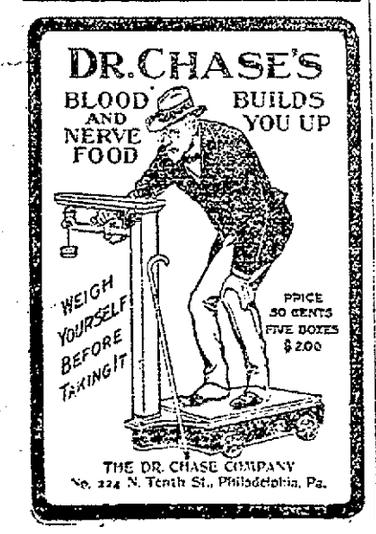

BOWSER BUYS BOOKS

Swindler With Bogus Biographical Scheme Finds Him an Easy Victim : : : : : :

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"By the way," began Mr. Bowser as he looked up from his paper, "weren't you saying something the other day about your watch being out of order?"

"Yes, it was out of order," replied Mrs. Bowser, "but I had it fixed. A man came along yesterday morning, and I gave it to him, and he had it back before 2 o'clock."

"Do you mean that a stranger came along?"

"Yes; he said he was from a jewelry store."

"And you handed him your watch without knowing who he was?"

"Yes."

"Well, if you don't deserve to be robbed of your shoes! By thunder, but I wouldn't believe it!"

"Why, what's wrong?" innocently asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Wrong? Wrong? You have a watch worth $100. You hand it out to a

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stranger to carry off without one chance in a hundred that you will ever see him again. If any one had told me that you were as big an idiot as that I couldn't have believed it."

"But the man brought it back."

"Are you sure it is the same watch?"

"Yes."

"And he didn't steal half the wheels?"

"No."

"Well, you have had a narrow escape and I hope it will be a great moral lesson to you. You are what is called an easy mark."

"I don't see that I did anything very silly," protested Mrs. Bowser. "I have known of your being swindled fifty different times, and you can't point to one single instance where I"—

"What—what!" he shouted, as he who had called to see Mr. Bowser was admitted. He was a sleek, slick man, and there was molasses in his mouth as he began:

"Mr. Bowser, I am from the firm of Ink & Roller, the Chicago publishers. We are getting out a book of biographical sketches of 250 great men of America, beginning with Washington. I have been instructed to call on you. We feel that the book would not be complete without a sketch of your life."

"H'm. I don't think I care for it," replied Mr. Bowser, though at the same time secretly pleased with the idea.

"But you must sacrifice your modesty for the sake of future generations. You are like all great men—overmodest—but I trust you will not carry it too far in this case. Let me show you what I have written up from such facts as I could gather, and I want you to correct any mistakes and elaborate on the whole."

The caller thereupon produced a typewritten paper and read:

"Benjamin Bowser, descendant of William Bowser, who commanded the patriot troops at Lexington. Was a wheel horse in politics for thirty years. Wrote many poems and essays, and delivered many speeches that attracted widespread attention. Might have been vice president, but declined the honor. Had the respect, love and esteem of all who came in contact with him. In his unflinching integrity of character he was often compared to Nero. The world will know fewer men deserving of a niche in the temple of fame."

That was all, but it was enough to melt Mr. Bowser and send a warm glow all through him.

"Understand," said the agent, "we make no charge for this—none whatever. If you feel that you would like several of the books, however, they will cost you $5 a volume. No one is obliged to buy. The notices will go in just the same. Have I got the facts right?"

"Y-e-s," was the hesitating reply.

"And do you wish to elaborate on them?"

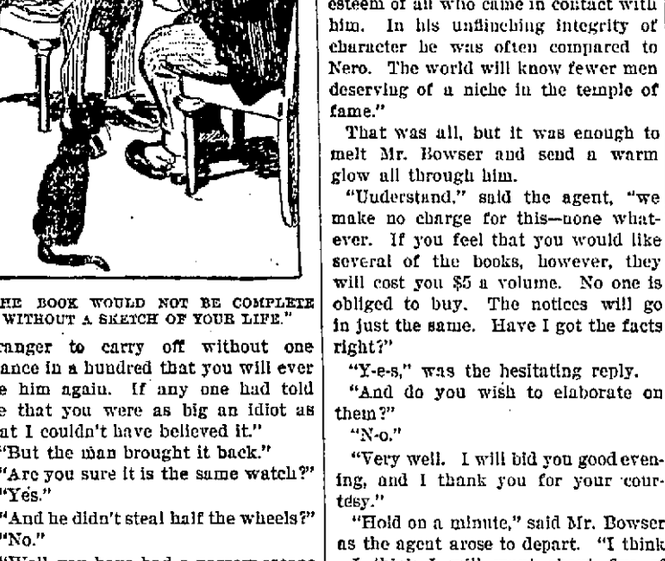
"N-o."

"Very well. I will bid you good evening, and I thank you for your courtesy."

"Hold on a minute," said Mr. Bowser as the agent arose to depart. "I think—I think I will want about five of those books."

"Yes? I will put you down for five. Our rules are cash in advance. I will write you a receipt for the money, and I hope you will get a special photograph for us. If you desire to make any changes please communicate with Chicago."

Mr. Bowser returned to the sitting



"I AM REQUESTED TO TELL YOU THAT YOUR HUSBAND IS ON THE TRAIL OF THE FAKIR."

sprang up. "Woman, be careful how you talk. When have I ever been swindled?"

"On hair dyes and tonics and fire escapes and patent fuels and such things."

"Never in this world, and you know it! No human man has ever played me for a flat, and none ever will, while you would give up the dress off your back if asked for it!"

"Don't you remember that you once bought a fire escape warranted to ease you down to the ground as gently"—

"Stop right there! If it is your purpose to drive me from the house this evening, why don't you say so and be done with it? The idea of your talking such stuff!"

"Well, the man was honest and brought my watch back, and let's say no more about it. I see there is to be an exhibition of pictures this evening, and if you are agreeable"—

"Exhibition be hanged! You have charged me with being a fool—a sucker—a victim of swindlers. I want you to make that charge good or render an apology."

"But you called me an easy mark."

"And so you are. I have no doubt that you have been swindled a hundred times and said nothing to me about it. Go ahead, however, and support your charges against me."

But Mrs. Bowser didn't have to. The door bell rang just then and a stranger room with a pleased smile on his face and the receipt in his hand, and after strutting up and down for five minutes he communicated the affair to Mrs. Bowser.

"Yes, I thought so," she quietly replied. "You'd better go over and see our butcher."

"What has our butcher got to do with it?"

"Well, when I was in there the other day this same agent was trying to induce him to have his biography published, but he only asked him a dollar a volume for the books."

Mr. Bowser looked at her for a minute, and then his face began to pale and his hair to curl. Without a word he put on his hat and left the house.

The butcher was in his shop. There was a private and confidential confab lasting ten minutes, and then Mr. Bowser disappeared. A few minutes later the butcher himself appeared at the Bowser residence and smilingly said to Mrs. Bowser:

"I am requested to tell you that your husband is on the trail of the fakir, and at last reports both were going for the country at a gait of eight miles an hour. I think Mr. Bowser intends to pursue him for at least 10,000 miles if necessary, and if he isn't home for a month or two you needn't worry."

And while Mrs. Bowser and the cat turned out the lights and went to bed the villain was still pursued.

M. QUAD.

The Amateur Driving club has elected the following officers to serve one year: President, James J. O'Ryan; secretary, A. C. Hobrock; financial secretary, Frank Notestine; treasurer, Rudy Krull. The club is arranging for a Decoration day race, and among the events will be a pole race between Bessie O and Little Pumpkin on one side and Wayne Chief and Lottie S. on the other.

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State Senator Lew V. Ulrey, of this city, has a third interest in the Indiana and Illinois Gas company, capitalized at $1,000,000, which has under lease 6,000 acres in Randolph county. The fact that Senator Ulrey was connected with the company became known generally, very recently, although he has been working in the interests of the company for more than a year. The company has sunk a number of wells and the results have confirmed the belief that Randolph county was an excellent oil territory.

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OFFICIAL CHAMPIONS.

Prize Winners in All Interstate Contests.

The Aurora Zouaves cancelled engagements covering nearly a year's time in order to return home. The boys from Illinois spent about a year in the cities of continental Europe giving their exhibitions of marvelous drilling and earned the title "Best Drilled Soldiers in the World" from the nobility and royalty of these foreign lands. Intending to remain away from home but for a few weeks, their success was so great that offers of engagements came so fast that almost before they knew it they were consigning themselves to a long exile from their native land. As many of them had business interests at Aurora that could be no longer neglected they secured a cancellation some future time. Once here the management of the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers combined shows made them a proposition for the present season that they could not afford to refuse, and they will be seen here with these shows when they exhibit on Saturday, June 6.

WILL ERECT BIG GYMNASIUM.

The members of the Turnverein Vorwaerts have taken up the project of erecting a large gymnasium, and at a meeting last night the Turners' Hall Building association was formed with the following officers:

President—William Bartenick.
Secretary—Gustave Ketchum.
Treasurer—Dan Clemens.

Directors for three years, Herman Mackwitz, Dan Clemens, William Bartenick; for two years, A. Roggen, L. Gauert and A. Lohse; for one year, Joseph Bogenschuetz and August Rodenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beaver will entertain the Epworth league of the First M. E. church at their home, 830 Columbia avenue, Tuesday evening.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for May 17, 1903—Paul Before Felix.

THE LESSON TEXT.
(Acts 24:10-16, 24-26.)

10. Then Paul, after that the governor had beckoned unto him to speak, answered, Forasmuch as I know that thou hast been of many years a judge unto the nation, I do the more cheerfully answer for myself:

11. Because that thou mayst understand that there are yet but 12 days since I went up to Jerusalem for to worship.

12. And they neither found me in the temple disputing with any man, neither raising up the people, neither in the synagogues, nor in the city:

13. Neither can they prove the things whereof they now accuse me.

14. But this I confess unto thee, that after the way which they call heresy, so worship I the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the law and in the prophets:

15. And have hope toward God, which they themselves also allow, that there shall be a resurrection of the dead, both of the just and unjust.

16. And herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offense toward God, and toward men.

24. And after certain days, when Felix came with his wife Drusilla, which was a Jewess, he sent for Paul, and heard him concerning the faith in Christ.

25. And as he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.

26. He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.

GOLDEN TEXT.—I will fear no evil: for thou art with me.—Ps. 23:4.

OUTLINE OF SCRIPTURE SECTION.

Paul's accusation.....Acts 24:1-9.
Paul's defense.....Acts 24:10-21.
Paul's imprisonment.....Acts 24:22, 23.
Felix's indecision.....Acts 24:14-27.

TIME.—A. D. 58.
PLACE.—Caesarea.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It will be seen that Paul makes a perfect defense, so far as the charges against him are concerned. But it should also be noted that he does more than acquit himself of them; he so makes known the character of "the sect" to which he is accused of belonging (but which he calls "the Way"), that he justifies its existence and its right to his fealty. Paul did not think of himself alone.

When our last lesson closed, Paul had been brought under guard to Caesarea, the Roman capital of Palestine, and had been imprisoned in what was originally Herod's palace. It was now the governor's official residence, and was fortified.

The "orator" the Jews took with them was their advocate or lawyer and conducted the case. He began in true oriental style by flattering the judge. The Jews, through their lawyer, made three charges. Bear in mind that while Felix had not been a good ruler, he had been active in ridding the country of "robbers and impostors who deluded the multitude." He had executed many of them. The first charge was that Paul was one of these very trouble-makers whom Felix was trying to get rid of; the second charge was that he was a ringleader of the heretical "sect of the Nazarenes" (Christians), and the third, that he was guilty of sacrilege, having attempted to profane the temple by taking Gentiles into the forbidden inclosure.

In his defense Paul took up in order the three charges that had been made against him. He began courteously but with no flattery. "Forasmuch as I know . . . I cheerfully make my defense:" He was especially glad to have a judge who had known the Jews for a number of years, for the better the judge knew them and their religious fanaticism the surer would he be to understand the situation. "Not more than twelve days:" Paul's stay had been short and his record could be easily looked up. "Neither can they prove:" Paul flatly denies the first charge—the only one that would seem serious to a Roman—and challenges proof of his guilt. The second he frankly admits. "The Way:" One of the earliest names applied by the disciples to Christianity. Paul claims, however, that he does not belong to a heretical sect, because (1) he worshiped the true God. (2) he reverenced the Hebrew Scriptures. (3) he believed with the Pharisees in the resurrection of the dead. "Herein:" In this faith. "I also exercise myself:" I school myself to do right, strive to have a clear conscience, which, even to Paul, was not always easy. Verses 17-21 give Paul's answer to the third charge.

Felix saw that no case had been made out against Paul, and yet he did not want to anger the Jews, so he simply adjourned the case till another time.

Felix was interested in Paul. He was also interested in the Nazarenes, and so summoned his prisoner to a private interview. Paul did not preach to the Roman a gospel of forms and ceremonies like Judaism, but one of righteousness and self-control—a gospel in which wrongdoing should be followed by what wrongdoing deserved. It was all terrible truth to the guilty Felix, but he was not man enough to change his life, and so he closed his eyes to the truth and tried to forget it. Paul was sent back to his prison, but Felix did not forget it, and kept sending for Paul and talking with him. Of course he expected Paul to offer a bribe for his freedom, but that does not account for his action, which was that of a man seeing the truth, and fascinated by it, and yet too weak to accept it and live by it.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

Like Felix, one may have a pretty exact knowledge concerning the Way, and yet not walk in it.

Like Felix, one may hear faithful preaching, and yet try to throw off the convictions it produces.

Like Felix, one may be moved with fear of the judgment, and yet postpone preparation for it.

Like Felix, one may put off repenting to a more "convenient season," and thereby never repent.

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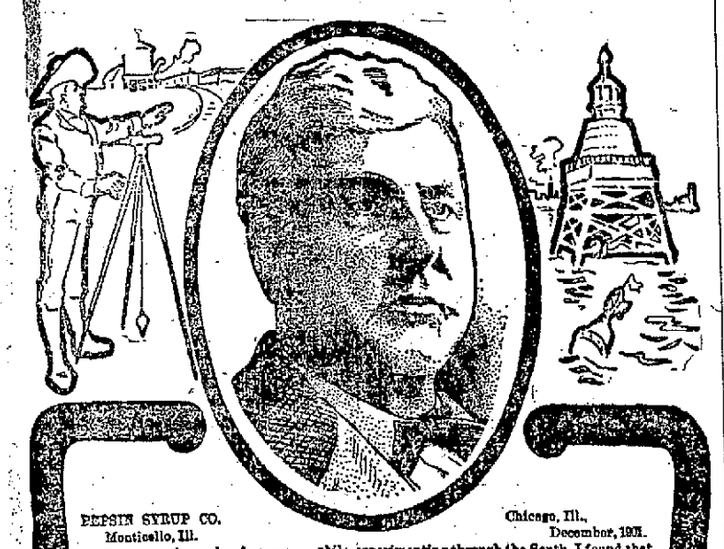

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TEMPERANCE NOTES

DRUNKARDS PUT TO DEATH.

The Devotees of Strong Drink Are Harshly Dealt With in Montenegro.

It is fortunate for drunkards in this country, if not for the country itself, that the laws existing in Persia have no binding force here. In the domain of the shah men of that class are blacklisted, and to be blacklisted means that the person so enrolled cannot visit the bazars to buy things except at certain hours and only then under police supervision. He cannot visit any place of public amusement and even when at prayers in the mosque he must hold himself aloof from his more respectable neighbors. If after being blacklisted he drinks again and is "found with the goods on" he gets 80 lashes on the soles of his feet.

In Turkey a man caught "rolling home in the morning" is fined for the first offense and admonished. If he is caught "whooping her up with the

PUNISHING A DRUNKARD.

boys" in a mild Mohammedan way on rakee punch he gets the bastinado. When a Mohammedan gets drunk it is usually on rakee or arack, villainous distilled liquors. The prophet in the koran forbids the use of wines, but says nothing about spirituous liquors, so the wily Turk winks the other eye and drinks arack and rakee.

Among the mountaineers of Albania and Montenegro the boozer fares worse than in either Turkey or Persia, for there drunkenness is regarded as a political offense, and political offenses are regarded in all countries as more serious than moral ones. Among the mountaineers fighting and drinking are not considered to go together, and to be able to fight is the first duty of a citizen. Therefore the drunkard is harshly dealt with. At first they try moral suasion with the festive tippler, but when that fails and he persists in making the mountain peaks ring to his Montenegran substitute for "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" he is declared to be a danger and disgrace to his tribe and his country and is quietly assassinated by order of the local chief.

NEWS FROM AFIELD.

Robertson county, Ky., gave a majority of 266 for local option.

Saloon licenses in Minneapolis, Minn., cost $1,000. The laws of Minnesota allow no seats or tables in saloons and no treating.

In Liverpool 500 public houses are visited weekly by the Salvation Army and a publican has been induced to give up his business.

A crusade for the enforcement of the law which prohibits the sale of cigarettes to children under 16 years is the work of the Business Men's association of Germantown, Pa.

Some of the most eminent medical practitioners in Dublin, like Sir John Moore, M. D., and Dr. Finny, have rallied to the help of the Committee of the Church of Ireland Temperance society in their efforts to give practical teaching on the subject of alcohol in the primary schools, and several of them have promised to deliver two lectures each on the occasion.

Miss Carrie Styer, of Kokomo, Ind., was discharged from her position in a store because she headed a band of slummers among the saloons. After dismissal she canvassed the town with remonstrances, and has already put 13 saloons out of business for two years. She aims to close every drinking place in town. The churches and Civic Federation will support her in her efforts.

A tidal wave of local prohibition is sweeping over the state of Tennessee, under the new law. Town after town is voting the saloon out. In one town with 336 votes, all but one was against the saloon. Athens gave a unanimous vote of 300 to put the saloon out of that college town. When the result was known, all the people gathered on the green and sang the doxology. Cleveland, the same day, voted out the saloons by 338 to 93.

Ardent Temperance Worker.

Witte, the Russian minister of finance, is an ardent temperance worker. He is a teetotaler, and induced the czar to decorate the men and women who are the most active in temperance work. He makes no secret of his preference for teetotalers in the various offices of the department he controls.

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FAST AND FURIOUS RACING.

No Complaints Are Heard of This Part of Wallace's Circus.

The remark is frequently heard that the hippodrome racing of a circus is uninteresting and it is often considered a burlesque rather than genuine.

The hippodrome is as old as the circus itself and the latter as an amusement is as old as ancient Rome. Instead of being a grotesque burlesque on the amusement affairs of the Romans, the modern, magnificent, progressive circus of America, such as is the Great Wallace Show is in reality far beyond the conception of Romans.

It must be admitted that hippodrome racing as frequently seen under canvas is a disappointing failure, but it must also be acknowledged by all who ever say them as presented by the Great Wallace Show, that there is one circus at least that puts them on right.

The early risers of the cities where the Wallace circus exhibits, may notice that more than thirty head of horses are led to the show lot. They do not pull anything, are without any harness and no one is riding them. They are usually blanketed but it does not require a very close observer to discover from the slim ankles, legs, little heads and extended nostrils that they are thoroughbred running stock. They do not do any other kind of work, all of their strength and energy being preserved for the exciting hippodrome racing. This is reputed to be the only circus that carries horses exclusively for the racing.

The Wallace races being genuine, the reproduction of the Roman hippodrome is very realistic, and by the time the first half of the Roman standing race has been run half of the circus crowd will be so excited that they will be standing. Race after race follow each other in quick succession. The tension is intense, the entire crowd as one man is breathless while the reckless riders and charioteers pass around and around the track. Such skill an such daring is unequalled.

When the Great Wallace Show exhibits in Fort Wayne on Thursday May 21; the matchless finish of performance will be considered a propriate climax to its high program of original acts, and i rons will receive an impres skillful horsemanship and which will linger within ory for a long time.

KEEP ALCOHOL FROM THEM.

Dr. Max Kassowitz, Professor of Children's Disease in University of Vienna, Gives His Views.

All of the spirituous drinks, wine, beer, brandy, rum and cognac, contain a poison, alcohol or spirits, which is the cause of their intoxicating effect. Those diseases to which the habitual drinker is exposed, such as delirium tremens, fatty degeneration of the heart, cirrhosis of the liver and the kidneys are also produced by nothing else than the poisonous action of alcohol.

It is manifest that children are especially susceptible to this poison, since it takes only a small quantity to intoxicate them. Among grown people, death rarely results directly from severe intoxication, but such cases are frequent enough among children.

This peculiar susceptibility of children is also evident from the fact that even moderate quantities of beer, wine, rum, or cognac regularly used by children for a considerable period may occasion serious forms of disease, such as delirium tremens, attacks of epilepsy, enormous increase of the liver, and inflammation of the kidneys with dropsy.

All of these dreadful consequences of the so-called moderate drinking by children, have been observed repeatedly by myself and other physicians.

In the face of such facts, people unwilling to expose their children to any such danger must desist from giving them alcoholic drinks of any sort.

Against any such warning one commonly meets the objection that the effects of alcohol are not exclusively injurious, that they are also a benefit and useful, that beer has been recommended for its nutritive action as "liquid bread," that wine is a tonic, that cognac promotes digestion, and that drinks containing alcohol stimulate the intellect.

To all this one can only reply that even if all the above were true, a conscientious father or loving mother would risk the possibility of the children becoming dangerously diseased by means of drink for the sake of any of these pretended advantages. As a matter of fact, these advantages do not exist, and people who ascribe these beneficial properties to alcohol are lamentably mistaken.

Alcohol never affords nourishment but remains always and only a poison. Food is a protection to the body and prevents it from wasting away, while poison is destructive to the body and hastens its waste. Alcohol certainly is a poison, because any human being, any animal, and any plant can be killed by means of it. Scientists have made numerous experiments with it which have invariably led to the same result, namely, that alcohol cannot be substituted for any part of one's food, that even a very little alcohol quickens the waste of the actually living body substance. This fact is proved by the observation that children who have been supplied from their earliest youth with this supposed poison are frequently backward in growth and development, which of course would never result from the use of real food.

The same truth holds with regard to the supposed promotion of digestion. With reference to this question also, experiments on human beings and animals have demonstrated that in every instance digestion is retarded and enfeebled, a fact substantiated by observation among children. Children frequently suffer from a loss of appetite merely because they are being supplied with beer, wine or cognac, and as soon as the alcohol interfering with the digestion is withheld, they regain their former pleasure in eating.

The imaginary strengthening action of alcohol is another fiction. People can only acquire strength by means of real foods, such as meat, fat, flour or sugar, but never by means of poison. The utmost which poison can do is to benumb for a time the sense of fatigue. Following this deadening of the sensibilities, however, the weariness and debility always return, increased in degree. That is why any severe physical effort can be accomplished more advantageously without alcohol, and those who wrestle or ride or contend for prizes at a regatta, let alcohol severely alone. They are aware that by means of any such strengthening they are sure of defeat.

As it is in respect to strengthening the body, so it is concerning the intellect. Regarding this, also, numerous experiments have completely demonstrated that either alcohol does not increase the mental capability, or that if momentarily there is a slight increase, that increase is followed in every instance by a manifest lowering of power. Besides this weakening of the intellectual power is not temporary; it may last hours or even days. As for children a very small quantity, a decilitre (about a pint) is sufficient to obviously diminish their power of attention and capability of instruction. Accordingly, it is not surprising that when this subject was investigated in a public school in Vienna, it was found that those children who were in the habit of drinking wine or beer ranked mostly among the poorest scholars.

It follows, therefore, that people who desire to have their children healthy in body and powerful in mind, must withhold from them alcoholic liquors of every variety.—Translated from German by the W. C. T. U.

The Penalty.

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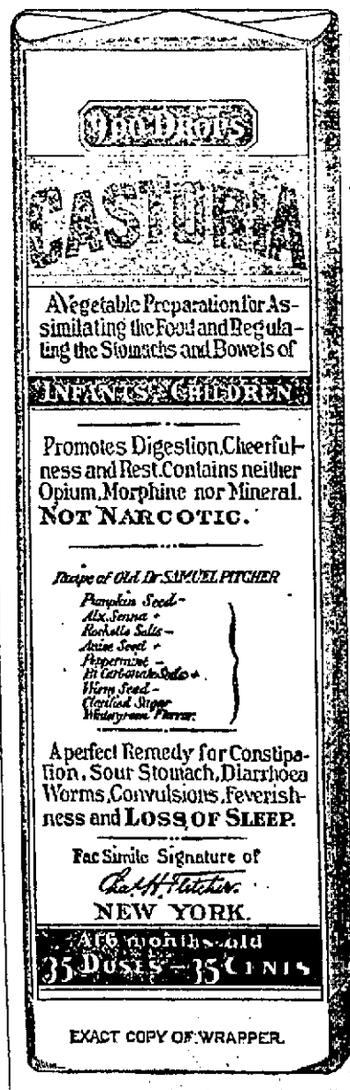
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2.—MRS. MARK—And so he was a dupe as far back as that, was he? I'll burn the trash up. No, I'll flaunt his silliness in his face just as soon as he comes home. The idiot.

—Give it to me! Let me have it! it I had that stock. I was ashamed I bought it. One thousand shares; orth one hundred per share to-day. D THOUSAND DOLLARS! Hees-O-O-P!

AN UNFINISHED POEM.

THE POET—O Spring! Spring! Spring!——

THE TRAMP—Dat's it, young fel-ler. Spring lively, I wants ter use me bench a while.

THE BRIGHT SIDE.

"I've got to go down to the station and meet my wife's mother."

"Don't worry, old man; she may have missed her train."

ENCOURAGING.

"Say, Sally, d'ye reckon yer maw likes me?"

"I dunno, Hiram, but ef she takes after me she does."

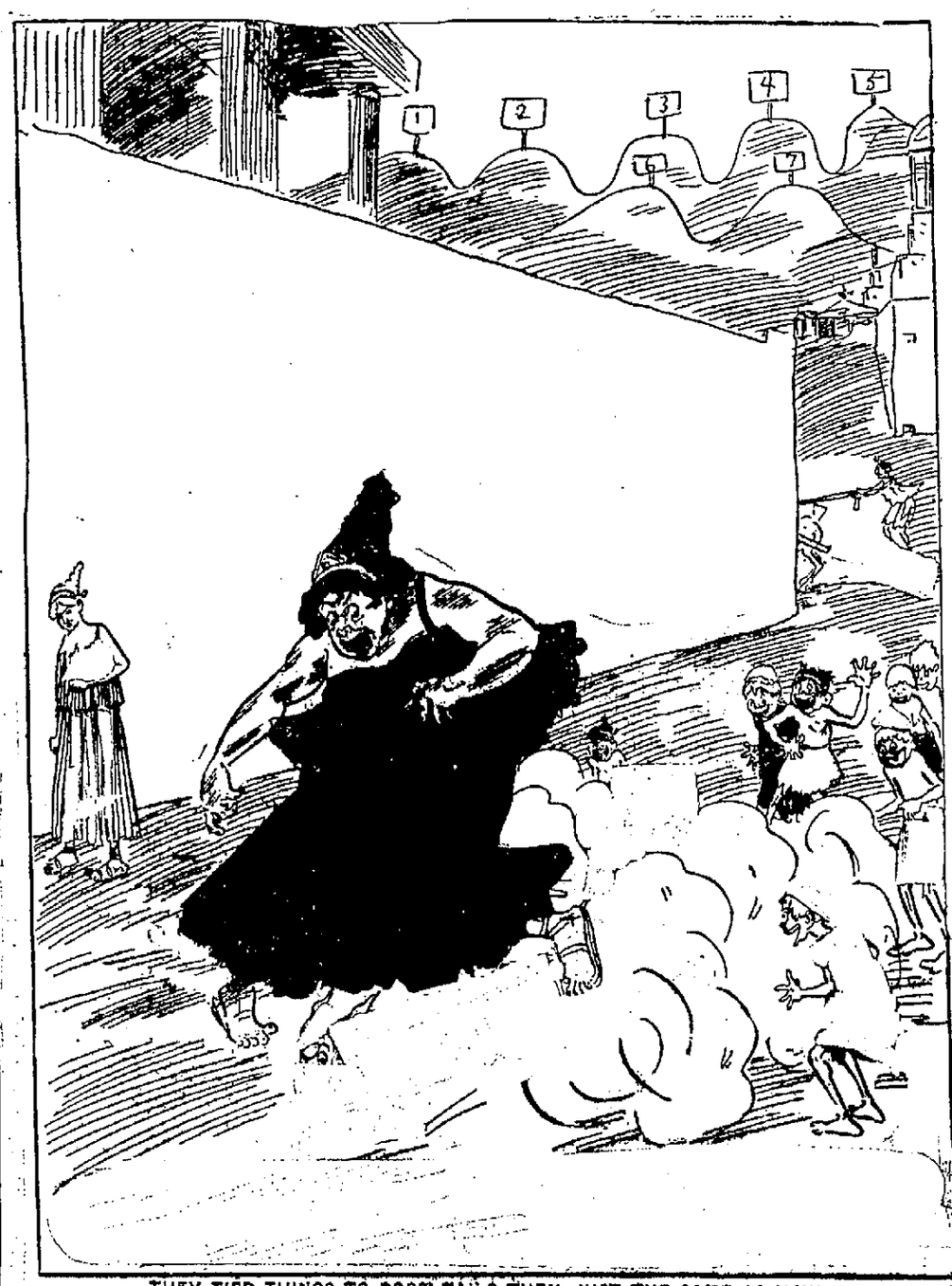
A DECORATION.

"What you think of my new decoration?"

"Er—isn't it a trifle loud?"

PASTORAL.

'TWAS EVER THUS.



THEY TIED THINGS TO DOGS' TAILS THEN, JUST THE SAME AS NOW.

RELIEF.

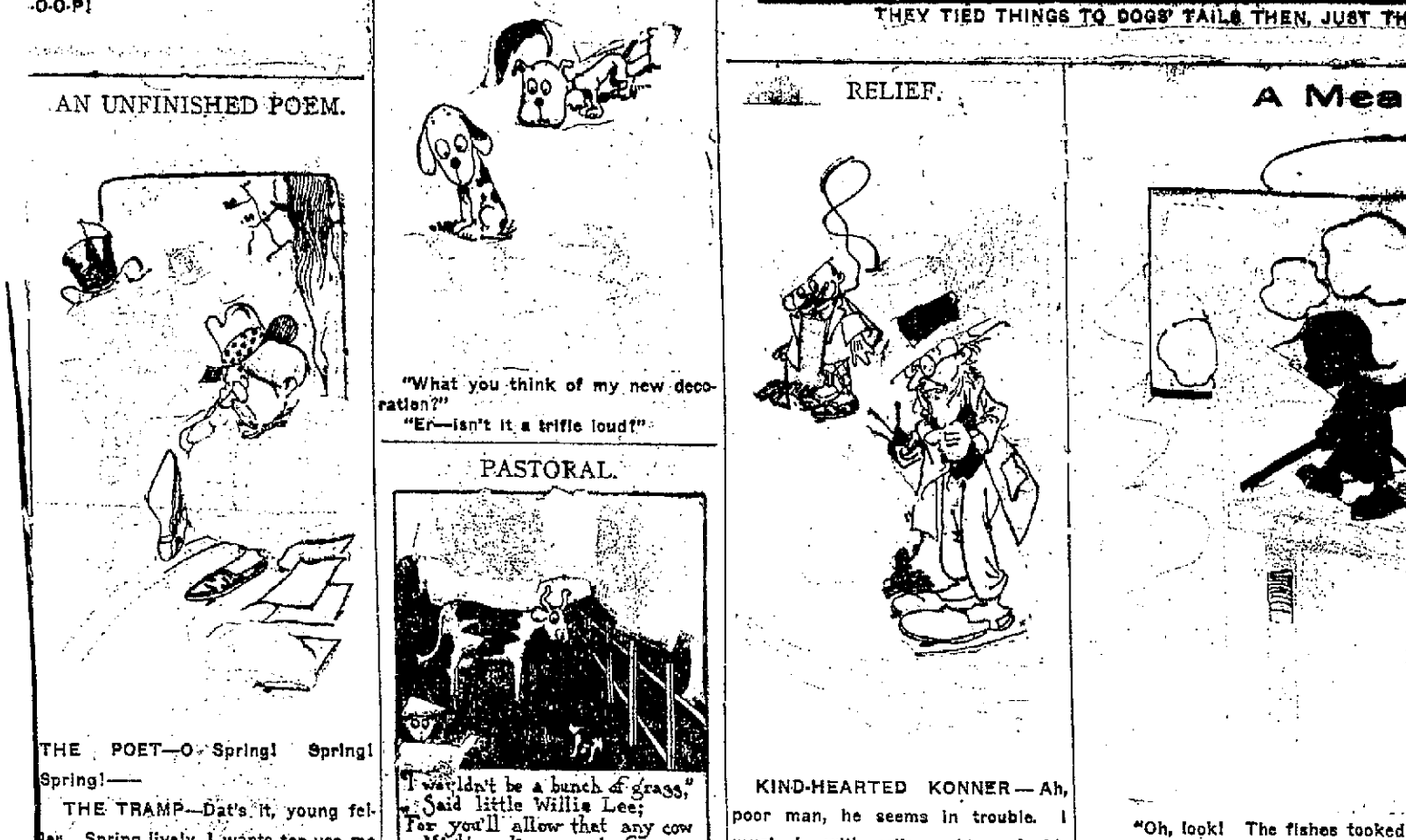
KIND-HEARTED KONNER—Ah, poor man, he seems in trouble. I must—I will—relieve him—of his money.

A Mean Trick.

"Oh, look! The fishes tooked all my bait."

"That's a shame. They aint got any business touching the bait if they don't want to get caught. It aint fair."

DICKEY'S RIVAL SCORES ONE.



thing?"

"Not half so dear as he'll be after the butcher cuts him up."

A PHENOMENON.

"Say, Jimmie; you've got wonderful control of the ball. I could almost reach that last one you throwed."

ANOTHER HOT PENNY.

JOCKO—Ouch! Say, how many April firsts are there in this year, anyhow.

AGAINST THE RULES.

"That ain't no way to play tennis, Bessie."

"I know it. You ain't got no right to hit the ball with your nose."